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DAYS AND DATES, 1932.

Shrove Tuesday	Feb.	9
Ash Wednesday	,,	10
St. Valentine's Day	,,	14
St. David's Day	March	1
St. Patrick's Day	,,	17
Good Friday	,,	25
Easter Monday (Bk. Holiday)	,,	28
Summer Time Commences ...	April	17
St. George's Day	,,	23
Royal Academy Opens ...	May	2
Ascension Day	,,	5
Accession Day	,,	6
Whit Monday (Bk. Holiday)	,,	16
Empire Day	,,	24
H.M. the Queen's Birthday	,,	26
Derby Day	June	1
H.M. the King's Birthday ...	,,	3
H.R.H. Prince of Wales' Birthday	,,	23
Bank Holiday	August	1
Royal Academy Closes	,,	1
Grouse Shooting begins ...	,,	12
Partridge Shooting begins ...	Sept.	1
Pheasant Shooting begins ...	Oct.	1
Summer Time Ends	,,	2
Fox Hunting begins	Nov.	7
Lord Mayor's Day	,,	9
Armistice Day	,,	11
St. Andrew's Day	,,	30
Christmas Day	Dec	25
Bank Holiday	,,	26

QUARTER DAYS:—March 25, June 24, Sept. 29, Dec. 25.

UNIVERSITY TERMS.

Oxford.	Begins.		Ends.	
Hilary Term	Jan.	10	Mar.	19
,, Full Term	,,	17	,,	12
Trinity Term	Mar.	30	July	9
,, Full Term	Apr.	24	June	18
Encaenia Wednesday	June	22		
Michaelmas Term	Oct.	1	Dec.	17
,, Full Term	,,	9	,,	3

Cambridge.	Begins.		Ends.	
Lent Term	Jan.	5	Mar.	25
,, Full Term	,,	12	,,	12
Easter Term	April	16	June	24
,, Full Term	,,	19	,,	10
Michaelmas Term	Oct.	1	Dec.	19
,, Full Term	,,	7	,,	5

The above dates are liable to alteration.

UNIVERSITY OF DURHAM (Durham Divisinn.)

	Begins.		Ends.	
Epiphany	Jan.	19	Mar.	19
Easter	April	26	June	25
Michaelmas	Oct.	11	Dec.	10

LAW SITTINGS.

(Supreme Court of Judicature Act, 1875).

Hilary begins Jan. 11 ends Mar. 23
Easter ,, April 5, ,, May 13
Trinity ,, May 24, ,, July 30
Michaelmas ,, Oct 12, ,, Dec. 21

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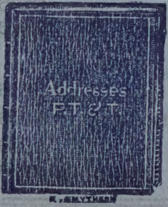

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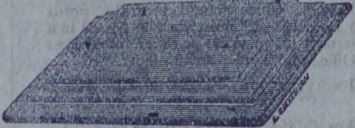

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SUNDAY LESSONS, 1932.

	MORNING LESSONS.		EVENING LESSONS	
DAY.	FIRST.	SECOND.	FIRST.	SECOND.
Jan 3	Isaiah xlii.	Matthew ii.	Isaiah xliii. or xliv,	Acts ii. 1-22
,, 10	Isaiah li.	Matthew vi. 1-19	Isaiah lii. 13 & liii. or liv.	Acts vi.
,, 17	Isaiah lv.	Matthew x. 1-24	Isaiah lvii. or lxi.	Acts x. 1-24
,, 24	Genesis i. & ii. 1-4	Revelation xxi. 1-9	Genesis ii. 4 or Job xxxviii.	Rev. xxi. 9 to xxii. 6
,, 31	Genesis iii.	Matthew xvii. 14	Genesis vi. or viii.	Acts xviii. 24 to xix. 21
Feb. 7	Genesis ix. 1-20	Matthew xxi. 23	Genesis xii. or xiii.	Acts xxii. 23 to xxiii. 12
,, 10	Isaiah lviii. 1-13	Mark ii. 13-23	Jonah iii.	Hebrews xii. 3-18
,, 14	Genesis xix. 12-30	Matthew xxv. 1-31	Genesis xxii. 1-20 or xxiii.	Acts xxviii. 1-17
,, 21	Genesis xxvii. 1-41	Matthew xxvii. 57	Genesis xxviii. or xxxii.	Romans v.
,, 28	Genesis xxxvii.	Mark iv. 1-35	Genesis xxxix. or xl.	Romans x.
Mar. 6	Genesis xlii.	Mark vii. 1-24	Genesis xliii. or xlv.	Romans xv. 8
,, 13	Exodus iii.	Mark xi. 1-27	Exodus v. or vi, 1-14	1 Corinthians vi.
,, 20	Exodus ix.	Matthew xxvi.	Exodus x. or xi.	Luke xix. 28 or xx. 9-21
,, 25	Genesis xxii. 1-20	John xviii.	Isaiah lii. 13 & liii.	1 Peter ii.
,, 27	Exodus xii. 1-29	Revelation i. 10-19	Exodus xii. 29 or xiv.	John xx. 11-19 or Rev. v.
Apr. 3	Numbers xvi. 1-36	1 Corinthians xv. 1-29	Numbers xvi. 36 or xvii. 1-12	John xx. 24-30
,, 10	Numbers xx, 1-14	Luke vii. 24	Numbers xx, 14 to xxi. 10 or xxi. 10	2 Corinthians ix.
,, 17	Numbers xxii.	Luke xiii. 18	Numbers xxiii. or xxiv.	Ephesians i.
,, 24	Deuteronomy iv, 1-23	Luke xviii. 1-31	Deuteronomy iv. 23-41 or v.	Philippians i.
May 1	Deuteronomy vi.	John i. 43	Deuteronomy ix. or x.	Colossians iii. 1-18
,, 5	Daniel vii. 9-15	Luke xxiv. 44	2 Kings ii. 1-16	Hebrews iv.
,, 8	Deuteronomy xxx.	Luke xxiv. 13	Deut, xxxiv. or Joshua i.	1 Thessalonians v.
,, 15	Deuteronomy xvi. 1-18	Romans viii. 1-18	Isaiah xi. or Ezek. xxxvi. 25	Gal. v. 16 or Acts xviii. 24 to xix. 21
,, 22	Isaiah vi. 1-11	Revelation i. 1-9	Genesis xviii. or i. & ii. 1-4	Eph. iv. 1-17 or Matt. iii
,, 29	Joshua iii. 7 to iv, 15	John xi. 17-47	Joshua v. 13 to vi. 21 or xxiv.	Hebrews iv. 14 & v.
June 5	Judges iv.	John xvi. 1-16	Judges v. or vi. 11	Hebrews xi. 1-17
,, 12	1 Samuel ii, 1-27	John xix. 25	1 Samuel iii. or iv. 1-19	James iii.
,, 19	1 Samuel xii.	Acts iii.	1 Samuel xiii, or Ruth i.	1 Peter iv. 7
,, 26	1 Samuel xv, 1-24	Acts vii. 35 to viii. 5	1 Samuel xvi. or xvii,	1 John ii. 1-15
July 3	2 Samuel i.	Acts x- 24	2 Samuel xii. 1-24 or xviii,	2 John
,, 10	1 Chronicles xxi.	Acts xv. 30 to xvi. 16	1 Chron. xxii. or xxviii. 1-21	Matthew iv. 23 to v 13
,, 17	1 Chronicles xxix. 9-29	Acts xx. 1-17	2 Chron. i. or 1 Kings iii.	Matthew viii. 18
,, 24	1 Kings x. 1-25	Acts xxiv.	1 Kings xi. 1-15 or xi. 26	Matt. xii. 22
,, 31	1 Kings xii.	Romans i.	1 Kings xiii. or xvii.	Matthew xvi. 1-24
Aug. 7	1 Kings xviii.	Romans vii.	1 Kings xix or xxi.	Matthew xx. 17
,, 14	1 Kings xxii. 1-41	Romans xi. 25	2 Kings ii. 1-16 or iv. 8-38	Matthew xxiv. 1-29
,, 21	2 Kings v.	1 Corinthians i. 26 & ii.	2 Kings vi 1-24 or vii.	Matthew xxvii. 1-27
,, 28	2 Kings ix.	1 Corinthians viii.	2 Kings x. 1-32 or xiii.	Mark ii. 23 to iii. 13
Sept. 4	2 Kings xviii.	1 Corinthians xiv. 1-20	2 Kings xix. or xxiii. 1-31	Mark vi. 30
,, 11	2 Chronicles xxxvi.	2 Cor. ii. 14 & iii.	Nehemiah i. & ii, 1-9 or viii.	Mark x. 32
,, 18	Jeremiah v.	2 Corinthians x.	Jeremiah xxii. or xxxv.	Mark xiv. 27-53
,, 25	Jeremiah xxxvi.	Galatians iv. 1-21	Ezekiel ii. or xiii. 1-17	Luke ii. 1-21
Oct. 2	Ezekiel xiv,	Ephesians iii.	Ezekiel xviii. or xxiv, 15	Luke v 17
,, 9	Ezekiel xxxiv.	Philippians iii.	Ezekiel xxxvii. or Daniel i.	Luke ix. 1-28
,, 16	Daniel iii,	1 Thessalonians i.	Daniel iv. or v.	Luke xii. 35
,, 23	Daniel vi.	2 Thessalonians iii.	Daniel vii. 9 or xii.	Luke xvii- 1-20
,, 30	Hosea xiv,	2 Timothy i.	Joel ii. 21 or iii. 9	Luke xx. 27 to xxi. 5
Nov. 6	Amos iii,	Titus iii.	Amos v. or ix.	Luke xxiii. 26-50
,, 13	Micah iv. & v. 1-8	Hebrews vii.	Micah vi. or vii.	John iii. 22
,, 20	Habakkuk ii.	Hebrews xii.	Habakkuk iii, or Zeph. iii.	John vi. 41
,, 27	Isaiah i.	1 Peter i. 1-22	Isaiah ii, or iv. 2	John x. 22
Dec. 4	Isaiah v.	2 Peter i.	Isaiah xi. 1-11 or xxiv.	John xiii. 21
,, 11	Isaiah xxv.	1 John iii, 16 to iv. 7	Isaiah xxvi. or xxviii. 5-19	John xviii. 28
,, 18	Isaiah xxx. 1-27	Revelation ii. 18 to iii. 7	Isaiah xxxii, or xxxiii. 2-23	Revelation iii. 7
,, 25	Isaiah ix. 1-8	Luke ii. 1-15	Isaiah vii. 10-17	Titus iii 4-9

JANUARY. 1932 FEBRUARY.

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Phases of the Moon.

Last Quarter Jan. 1
New Moon ,, 7
First Quarter ,, 15
Full Moon Jan. 23
Last Quarter ,, 30

Phases of the Moon.

New Moon Feb. 6
First Quarter , 14
Full Moon Feb. 22
Last Quarter ,, 28

MARCH. 1932 APRIL.

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Phases of the Moon.

New Moon Mar. 7 Full Moon Mar. 22
First Quarter ,, 15 Last Quarter ,, 29

Phases of the Moon.

New Moon Apr. 6 Full Moon Apr. 20
First Quarter ,, 14 Last Quarter ,, 27

MAY. 1932 JUNE.

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Phases of the Moon.

New Moon May 5 Full Moon May 20
First Quarter ,, 13 Last Quarter ,, 27

Phases of the Moon.

New Moon June 4 Full Moon June 18
First Quarter ,, 11 Last Quarter ,, 25

JULY. 1932 AUGUST.

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Phases of the Moon.

New Moon... July 3 Full Moon July 17
First Quarter ,, 11 Last Quarter ,, 25

Phases of the Moon.

New Moon Aug. 2 Last Quarter Aug 24
First Quarter ,, 9 New Moon 31
Full Moon ,, 16

SEPTEMBER. 1932 OCTOBER.

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31 M

Phases of the Moon.

First Quarter Sept. 7 Last Quarter Sept. 23
Full Moon ,, 14 New Moon ,, 30

Phases of the Moon.

First Quarter Oct. 6 Last Quarter Oct. 22
Full Moon ,, 14 New Moon ,, 29

NOVEMBER. 1932 DECEMBER.

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23 F
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31 S

Phases of the Moon.

First Quarter Nov. 5 Last Quarter Nov. 21
Full Moon ,, 13 New Moon ,, 28

Phases of the Moon.

First Quarter Dec. 4 Last Quarter Dec. 20
Full Moon ,, 13 New Moon ,, 27

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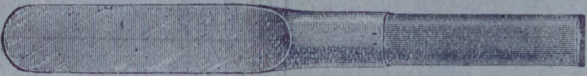

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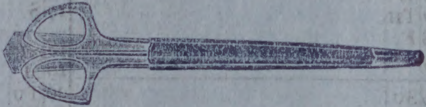

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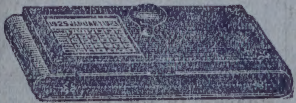

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Friday, January 1

[DOG TAX DUE.

Breakfast in bed. Up late. Cold day of rain and ice. Other men & boys went shooting. I talked with G. in bed about Alfreda. Then I walked along the road out one gate & in the other. Back & wrote to Aunt Kuin Hardy in my room. Guns back to luncheon & off again. Nap in my room. Frances Stone arrived for tea & played bezique with G. After dinner Gramophone dance with lovely Bach record

Sent - Stacates to London & home in our car.

Up earlyish. Sat with G. in her room. O. A. & Virginia walked to see new cottage for Cousins & planned how they could live in it when they lost their money. Deb Glyn to luncheon and talked until 4 o'c. Rested in G. room. Tea & children. Game of vingt et un. I helped Wilfreda who always lost. W. Mother before lunch. After dinner solved puzzle of nine dots to be connected w. 4 lines.

Sunday, January 3

[2nd S. after Christmas.

Wellington up late fixed Xmas tree ornaments on card-board to test plan for Corona above G's bed. No good & afterwards Guy discovered Corona mending up all down. Guy in park in home. Valerian & Francis. Dined Cambridge - Lancer Dashwoods. Malcolm. Nigel Seeley. Home & Guy & H gay in park for few minutes until black. No Tea. Talked & read No. 1 Sinister Street. Dinner talk about 1 Eng. Talked about Alfred Bu[illegible] after Backgammon. [illegible] [illegible]

Monday, January 4

Washington

Up early. Packed before breakfast. Goodbye to Gerry. Goodbye to Fishers and G. Alfreda. Helen & I home by car arriving 12:15. Unpacked. Driver took me to office stopping at Nat City Bank. Office opened letters etc. Lunch Gatti's. Read spring list - bad. Talk Harkins, bad look-out for shop. Child N.G. & What Next. Dictated on or two letters. Call fr Kinnards on stock. Talk S.A.T. Left Home tube. Dinner G. & worked on spring list etc.

Tuesday, January 5

Up early. Office 9.35
Dictated half hour
after 12 with few
interruptions. Went over
Spring list wi' Delgado
sympathetic. Lunch Ath.
Helmonds brought in better
stock for Spring list;
W. Mrs Graham re W.G.'s
illness. Long call from
Rodker about his
Other Fronts. Tel. Cushing
about lines fr. Mombasa.
Signed letters. Walked home
by Regent Street, Grosvenor St &
Park. Alfreda announced that
she had a Calendar published
by Alan's father. Dining G. who had
spent
day
wi' Vivie
at
Seaton
& has
sketches
'After
Dinner'
[illegible]
[illegible]
Strut.

Wednesday, January 6

[*Epiphany*

Up early. Office 9.30
Grey mild day. Worried
about shop. Dictated
until 11.45 Board meeting
with Blackadder exposing
the bad prospect of fina -
must get more books.
Lunch Garrick Alec Rea,
Arthur Davis. Signed
letters. Call from Miss
Pattie Price South African
songs. Talk Delgado Stopes
adv. MacCarthy circular.
Frightful rain. Home tube.
Dinner G. who didn't feel like
bezique. I wrote long letter to
Cousin Georgie.

Up a bit late. Office 9.45
Dictated most of morning.
Discussed price calcn for
spring list with Deffers
and found suitable tint in
his tie which he sent to
printer using another.
Call fr. Elliott Taylor and
luncheon with him at
Athenaeum. Worked on
MacCarthy circular.
Call fr Miss Manel and
she took back Side Slant
to strengthen end. Home by
bus from Bond Street.
Dinner G. & read papers

Friday, January 8

Uneasy sleep dreaming and half waking. Think I need more exercise. Up early but G. beat me down to breakfast. Office 9.30. Rugg still away ill. Also Child. Dictated. Settled Spring list - colour of [illegible] tie-pieces. Call from Dr. Bermann and long talk. He signed Macmillan agreement for Mahdi. Lunch at [illegible]. Found little elephant cabinet for Alfreda-Simmonds. Signed letters. S.H.T. G.S.G., & I reduced our salaries to provide raises for juniors. Home by five.

Bed 9. [illegible]. Dinner 9. Read papers

[FIRE INSURANCE EXPIRES.

Up later. Went Office 9.30. Tel Lockhart at Browns Hotel. Dictated talk. Alan, Picasso, Modigli Marie Laurencin. Long day. Signed letters. Walked home. Luncheon early and G. Alfredo and I went to circus all good, dogs & chimpanzee excellent and Mattes and his 11 tigers jumping thro' blazing hoops — the finest thing I have ever seen. Tea home. Rested. Dined G. Cross word puzzle Times

Sunday, January 10

1st S. after Epiphany.

Tel to Mom Rainy at Pulborough so gave up golf. Dulcie took me to office to get letter & I spent morning in library writing to Rita & started letter to Millie. Tompkins came to see G. Pres to lunch. Up to nursery w Jan. Finished letter to Millie. Short walk to Queen Sq Gardens. Tea G. Played Corinthian Bagatelle w. Jan. Dine G. W. Bell discussed w his book on "Nature". W. Then [illegible] article Beauty & religion

Monday, January 11

James 19th birthday. Dressed
in his dressing gown.
Recalled Cassandra!
Office 9.40. Mr Raff kept
talking of Rodker. Declined
call for Bruce Lockhart's
South African Parson cousin
Creil. Call for Wheeler
translating Oppenheim. G.
& Pam called in car – took me
home. Lunch together with Naomi
I was not nice about dressing gown
which G. gave me, because I
thought not old in good enough
& Pam thought bag 7 and [illegible]
dull for G. But [illegible] liked G's
£100 [illegible] dates & face [illegible]
[illegible] to [illegible] in car. [illegible]
called about the Scott wrappers. Motor
called. I picked up elephant [illegible]
at Simmonds and home to [illegible]

James birthday tea. Peter, Stevie, Charlotte, Robin, Anne, Donald, Edwards, Jennifer, Spinner, Nicky & Clarissa, Brownie. Helen Sprinkle. Wanted to try [illegible] & Cabinet before or after dinner.

G. discussed with [illegible] about the matter

Tuesday, January 12

Up Cabinet Office 9.35. Worked all morning on letter to Palmer pressing for purchase of Major Londonderrys. Called Reynolds. Lunch Holborn, Restaurant & sent letter to Palmer. Dictated to Mrs Graham. Signed letters etc. Dennis called for me. Cocktail etc party Sybil, Hartley, Blick, Helen Dashwood. Lady Castlerosse playing backgammon with Mrs Dinelayne. Took Ethel Sands home in car. Dined home. Evening read Spring list etc. Bed early

Wednesday, January 13

Slept badly. Office 9.20
Dictated most of morning
Talk Delgado advertising
and art in general.
Saw Herbert Cooke. Lunch
Garrick. To Conyers Chg
for door handles.
Office signed letters, looked
at art book by Poore.
Call fr. Arthur Bulls cousin
Ted Shepherd, Long talk
with him + Mr Trigrom.
suggesting that he should get into
touch with Mr Smithers. Long talk
Miller about possibly buying shares
for St J. + S.A.T. Home tube
Dinner home. Evening talked
to G. about Grandmother's Steam

Read Heath's Nation novel

Thursday, January 14

Up early. Office 9.25
Letter fr. Cornell asking to
have Plahner's shares registered
in his name. Long talk S&T
about shares & future of firm
which seemingly unsettled.
This way. Lunch Coll.
Called R. H. C. & Cas.
Signed letter to Reynolds.
Called Dr Irvine Baird.
Discoveries of lost Chaldaean
Tribe and biography of
Anastasia. Walked home fr.
Clanricarde Gardens. Nap
Dinner G. Letter fr. Cristina
Mother ill again. G. Telephoned
Florence — talked to Maria

Office 9.35. Dictated Mr. Miller, Q.A.T. & I met Mr. Blackadder & Mr Reynolds at latter office. Decided to take Counsel's opinion. Back to office. Latham of Macmillan came to lunch at Garrick & back to office. Interested in many of our books. Call fr. Clemence of Nuttall's family quite happy about name. Call from Kennedy with bust-design for Scott Jacket. G. & I. tea Edith Craig & Christopher St John. G. great success. I came back to office & walked home. Dinner G.

Read [illegible] island W. Collins Moonstone for [illegible] Lecture Jan 25

Saturday, January 16

Office late. Miss J. away
Dictated Miss Cook. A
good deal of talk. G.
called for me. Home
lunch and Jane & Naomi
& I to Buckie's Bears
pretty music & good polar
bears which they enjoyed
Home tea & rested.
Dinner G. She generally
plays Gramophone Tauber
records and gramme Pantry
She has started her
needlework. I read
Mrs. M's about life
on island. Birds & flowers
& winds.

Sunday, January 17

[2nd S. after Epiphany.

Long day - up early & left for Sury 9.10 Arrived 10.30. Played with Ernest not too badly. Lunch Club with Cooper. Started for home 2 o'c & arrived 3.25. G. going out for Mah Jong with Madam Leatham. Read & finished Island Novel. Tea alone. W. Barretts which Alfreda & Anne Powell played about. G. home late lost £2. Dinner G. Read Joyce Dennis. Bed early

Monday, January 18

Office 9.35 Dictated
News. Answered Dr. S's
complaint against Alan.
Talk Alan. Call fr.
Baroness Budberg. Kenneth
brought Scott w. Sapper
disg. Ronald Spiers
called trying to sell paper.
Talk abt "My Heavens"
Lunch Pip Garnick, Johnny
has pneumonia. Talk /
Clifford Osbourne. Told Davis
about Eros bow. Signed
letters. Dictated. Talk Sid
about his acne. Tel. Father
who threatened to chuck me for
Marbled. Walked home

Dinner home. Tel. Calcutt who is better. Picked 8 W. up 10.30 Cancelled Cas [illegible] two [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Tuesday, January 19

Up early. Office 9.30
Went over Allen correspondence and let notes wr. Chris
Talk Ragg who thinks we should cultivate agents more. His manner is always unsympathetic & critical.
Tel. G., Alan Graham, Gomme about having Lincoln Cars examined by R.A.C. He seems to insist. Call for Miss Peck about Australia Cutting.
Delgado, SHT & I in Glory Hole. Macrae of Dutton called. Dinner Garrick. Call Gomme Dieland. Talk SAF etc.
Hair cut. Home late. Dinner G.

G. not sleeping well wants me to sleep in my room. Read this about young people on Hudson Bay. Very g.

Wednesday, January 20

Up early. Report from R/HC Mrs Lincoln Car in good condition. Met Richmond on bus. Tel. Latham ill & can't come in. Dictated Miss G. Prepared note for Latham & called Browns Hotel with grapes. Found him with Eric Sutton. Lunch Ath. Left Cheque Nat City Bank. Call fr. Oliver in Shop, Call fr. Brotherton, Call fr. Miss Kirwan Hardy. Talk about jackets Ray & S.A.T. Sent it jacket made to, am - [illegible] (Read) Reached home. Dinner home.

W. writing Rec'd. P. [illegible] [illegible]

Thursday, January 21

Bread Bk. Bus Lunch. Dinner Q. Read Yeats Journal

Up late – Office 9.40.
Miss Yates at work on
Palmer correspondence.
Dictated Miss Francis. Mr Vanton
came about sprg on front door.
Talk Landeaux about Scott
jacket. Dictated Miss Y.
G. came w. beautiful big cab
car. Perfect except swivel seats
Signed letters. To Thomas &
ordered dark blue uniform
for Duncan. Signed letters etc
Lunch Gatti's. Dictated Miss Y.
Talk Ragg Scott wrapper.
Chill & pain in back since going
out to see car without coat.
Read copies of Palmer letters
prepared for counsel. Walk to

Friday, January 22

Still sleeping in my dining
room. Disturbed night.
Tired but pain in back
gone. Rainy day. Letter
to Dawes re need for
clearing. Phone w. Burt + sent
Telephone + Talk till 11:30
Dictated. W. p.c. to Summers
Call fr. Geo. J. Marchant.
W Miss Kepley sending p.c. of
G. o A. Lunch Garrick.
W. Reynolds sending Palmer
Correspondence. Walk w.
Baird Street. Rested.
Dinner G. [illegible] finished
yachting novel.

Saturday, January 23

Home. Dinner. Then read papers. G. Bezique.

Up late. Office 9.50
Talk Alan about
dinner Monday. Dictated
Miss J. Talk D.H.T. about
date for sending out
Spring list. Dictated Miss
Cook. Signed letters.
Home tube. Lunch G. & A.
G. rested. I went in new
[illegible] car to Fr. Exhibition
very interesting. Like "Byron" by
Géricault. Met Miss J. in
front of picture wh. she does
not like. Met Alan Delgado &
his brother Frank. Walked home.
Tea, G. out to try car
Does it badly at changing gears
but thinks he can learn.

Sunday, January 24

[Septuagesima S.

Up early and G. N Annie & Alfred & G & I to Amberley started at 9 o'c. G. stayed at home so to have her. I started golf at 11 o'c did not do too badly. Picnic lunch Amberley Down, Starlight, Mr Hook Charley, Bantams, Home 2.30 arrived 4 o'c. Made peppermints with Jane. G. out walking. All sat in stairs & talked when she came in. G & I tea & then Jane came down in Demetrius costume. G & I dinner. Bezique late.

Monday, January 25

Office 9.40. Long day later, fog early. Took read letters etc. Telephoned. Call fr. Baroness Buxberg. Aft. lunch read Botkin's "Real Romanovs." Talk Hugh Elliott. Dictated. Signed letters etc. Dorothy Graham & Gladys called in Car & D. was delighted we shop. We all went on to Sophie's party for Phyllis Spender Clay's engagement Harry Lloyd Mrs Maclagan et al. Home dinner party. H. Bullock, Drummond, Long, Hartley, Adm. Vivian, Mrs Lane, Lady Rhondda, Eric Drummond

is Ted Colthurst Bagge

Tuesday, January 26

Up early & to office 9.45
Discussed with Mr Miller
solicitors letter about Palmer
& shares. Dictated let.
Call fr. Barbour of
Fleming H. Revell, Prince
Lowenstein of Garnet.
Discussed K.F. of Spain book,
& Gerhardi's Memoirs of
Satan. Signed letters
Talked about books etc
Accepted Mais's Unknown
Isle. Talk J.A.T. & A.D. &
Lady Cynthia. Home bus fr.
Bond Street. Eleanor arrived
fr Italy this A.M. to stay indefinitely
Frances to dinner. Read Bruce Lockhart

Wednesday, January 27

Office 9.40. G. breakfast in bed. Discussed valuation matters etc. Mr Ragg at home ill. Dictated. Long call from Harry Calkins about Stevens. Car for me. Home lunch Mrs Tompkins, Irene Dorothy, Eleanor, Harry, Eddie Marsh, Roger Russell Sidney Gerry. Back in car. Dictated. Call from Mr Scott Johnston. Talk S.B.T. about books in train etc. Home Tube. Dinner G & Eleanor Evening read "Dust".

Thursday, January 28

Dark morning. Office
9.35. Tel. Mr Wallace
Long. Tel Reynolds.
Dictated Mr G. Mins.
over Slope circular w.
A.D. Callers were Arbor
Cooke. Lunch - Report w G.M.G.
Monthly Board Meeting.
Lunch Blackadder Garrick
Dictated. Call fr. Voigt
Education friend Miss Wickenam
Talk abt A.D. next stock
walk w. Board Mtg.
Dinner home. Others, Wadsborough
Gery who went on to concert.
Gladys Robertson, Ozzie Dickinson
who stayed & talked

Friday, January 29

Up early. Office 9.20
Tel R.W.C. about Artificial
Tel Davis. Discussed Stock
B.D. Dictated Miss C.
Miss G. Discussed Books
w. [illegible] Arthur Cooke. Lunch
Ath. Called Nat City Co re
Bunt Exhibit will but P. Dawson
not in. Call fr. Stevens
Call from Higham. Signed
letters. Talked Harkness
about Child & he related w.
Complacent about changes
Wrote letter – Probably
had hair cut & dinner
home & read weeklies

Saturday, January 30

Got in car to see
Miss Wheat & her Holy
Grail windows. Home
& on to office about
11-30 Stopping at Nat.
City Co. about Aunt E's
estate. Saw King Smith.
Office long tel. fr Dr. S.
Home lunch late.
To Fr. exhibition Russian
Degas. Cezanne. Saw
Alan Vine. Home tea
Rested. Eleonora away
for weekend. Dinner g.g.
Evening read papers
& to Angela McCall's party
Leonard Huxley. Mrs Wedderburn

Sunday, January 31

[Sexagesima S.

Up early. rather foggy day. Drew motored me to golf in 1 hr. + 10 m. Played wi J. Went not too badly. Henderson, Mrs Lowther & others there. Lunch Club, increasing abdominal pains. Drove down home like a devil through traffic in 1.15 hrs. Lay down wi hot water bottle 3 to 5. down stairs

some stairs from [illegible]

to see Mrs. G. Up & treated myself before dinner. Then had chiefly hot milk. Rested & read papers. Bed early.

Monday, February 1

[illegible] bus Cold but healthy on top: Thick and [illegible] Price Otropis catalogue corrections Call fr. Lady Clemmie & talk with her & S.A.T. Walters Anthology. Lunch [illegible]. very Cold felt very tired. ~~Do~~ Call fr. Willy Howard about his father's essays. Dictated. Talk Ragg & SAT about yachting on Norfolk Broads [illegible] Home Tales. Tom back fr. Fr. exhibition. Kerr about modern pictures. G. & Eleonora to [illegible] Court. Read [illegible]

Tuesday, February 2

Office 9.35 in Covered
Car, again. Tel. Lincoln Car
Services. Talk Stockman
Ragg re N. & M. & review
copies. Dictated Miss Y.
Talk Delgado & S.H.T.
let. notes, Rathenau & Jews,
Lady Cynthia's book.
Lunch Ath. Person, Bishop
of Middleton. met again Signed letters
Talk S.H.T. Mafia book.
Call from Rodker desired
wrapper Other Fronts. Dictated
signed letters Talk Ragg. Tawny
Life. Talk Miller re Child.
Home tube. E. out. Dinner G.
W. invitations to [illegible] Tuesday lunch

Wednesday, February 3

Just missed open bus.
Office 9.35. Passed proofs
etc. Tel. Harrison of Lincoln
Service Station. Tel. Medley
re Buckland Henderson libel.
Dictated Mem. C. Mrs. J. ~~[illegible]~~
Call fr McIntyre of Little Brown.
Call fr. G. for permit for
Playtellers Spender Clay. Lunch
Frances Iverson Garbrook re
signed Milne's songs for Corg.
Saw P.J. before Lunch.
Dictated. Had tea with Harkness about
suspected book ring down-stairs
Calls Maclean, Tollenden. Dictated
W. Rosamond Fisher. Tel. Dr.
Rapeneos making appointment about

my pain always aching: worked from

[illegible]

Thursday, February 4

Fog. Office 9.35. Sent Ahearn 4 vol. costing .45
Phyllis Spender Clay. Avoided
appointment with Dr. R.
Tel. Ripon as casualty apparatus
Call for Geoffrey Spellinger
Dictated. Lunch Graham -
G. Eleanora, Julia Connaught
Stone. Edward Wyndham.
All very cozy & pleasant
Office 3.30 signed letters
dictated. Long call
from Bruce Lockhart
talk D.O.T. Home tube.
Dinner early. G. Eleanora out
but both went at Fortnightly
concert. I went for walk to
Hamilton Terrace, as exercise

Leaving [illegible] Good for my [illegible]

Friday, February 5

Troubled night. Dressed quickly. Office 9.40. Worked up papers. Dictated Miss. Yates. Down W. St. Conferred Owens about Aud. & ditto estate. Lunch Garrett Nunes and Beck. Office signed letter. Talked of death of Chief Manager of Maurice. Call for Rosamond Fisher. Call for Chief's son and daughter. Walked home. Dinner home. G. & we went on to Surprise party. Sears, Miss [illegible] Kemper [illegible] Dennis, Douglas Woodruff Thurston Benson et al et al.

Saturday, February 6

Slept late. Office
till 3 o'c. Dictated letters
to do with Aunt Edith's
estate. Home in car
early lunch and got
to Phyllis Spender Clay's
wedding. Long day
and delightful drive from
Lady Lucan. Grahams taking
with Pinkie on the way to
Petworth, Warnsboroughs,
John Cowans & his wife & sister-in-law
Left early to get Duncan back
for his concert. Tea home
G. not feeling well stretched in his room
– & in pain.
Dinner home. Read Chateaubriand

Sunday, February 7

[*Quinquagesima S.*

Up early and G.
Tam Nannie & I to
Amberley leaving at
9.30. Got to Golf
at 11. Fog & frost.
Went out & I practised
till 12.0. Did fairly
well. To Amberley for
lunch in Cottage. Wrote
Mrs Hawk & Buddy
Fooling about. Home
at 3.30 and got into
bad fog at Leatherhead
Home about 5. Tea &
talked. Made Peppermints wi
Tam - no luck. Dinner G. &
read. Chateaubriand

Monday, February 8

Up early & office 9.15 Opened letters. Cr. from Palmer about serious state of N.Y. business. Telephoned & talked most of morning. Lunch Garrick with Maglan Talked Alan Parsons & Maglan does not mind W.C. element in literature Dictated. Call fr. Dr. Moshowitch. Talk M. Delgado & S.S.T. Lady Cynthia's book. Walked home. Dinner G. Eleanor out. W. notes & read Death Penalty notes. Bed late

Tuesday, February 9

[SHROVE TUESDAY

Up early, after
sleeping badly. Office
9.10. Opened letters etc.
Dictated long letter to
Lady Ayrton & M. Reynolds
Dictated Miss C. Call fr.
Pages Denys & with Lys
and Alan in car home to
lunch. G. Gerhardi; Rosamonde;
Bruce Lockhart, Freda Hartwell,
Rosamond Fisher, Angela Thirkell
very pleasant party.
To office in car. Signed
letters. Talk Raggs & J.A.T. about
other Fronts & deleted passages.
Walked home. Dined G. E. out
Every pleasant talk about our lunch

Read Joan Carr for Capt. Windows.

Wednesday, February 10

ASH WEDNESDAY.

up promptly. Office 9.30 very cold little Fleming & swim. Dictated Mr J. Call on Reynolds very discouraging about refusing to reject Palmers shares. Back to office Dictated. Doctor called home to lunch Lady Hamilton Marjorie Leslie & Shane, Maxwell Scotts, Fitz Alan Howards, Spiresses, and the Bulgarian sister etc. Storm changed. Office in car Dictated. N.C. & D.P. Home in blizzard. Jan went to do her accounts. Dinner E. & Irene

(that received others Frater decided to put back pending [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. [illegible] to Bruning about [illegible] [illegible] 10.45.

Thursday, February 11

Long tel Reynolds re Palmer. Office 9.25. Read letters incoming Miller's Tel al. Dictated. Talk Delgado. Long cable fr Radker, opened to [illegible] "Conditioned passage in other fronts." Talk Delgado Hope & Barclay ards. Lunch Altmann with McIntyre. Talk Barlow re Harley. Signed letters. Garden Club meeting Cecil Harmsworth, volunteered and elected as one of five. Walk to Hamilton Terrace. Eleanor not back from permanent wave. 9. [illegible] [illegible], but [illegible]

(Concert) Dinner G. & E.

Radio Ticket Dinner w. G. & E.

[illegible] meals stopped [illegible] Mr Kipps

[illegible] [illegible] G. & E.

Friday, February 12

Sun and snow - cold
Office 9.30. W. Mr
McGrady Wheeler - wanted me
D. Marjorie's returning her
Honolulu article. Dictated
about Aunt Edith's estate
and about Palmer's recent
letter. Lunch Athenaeum with
Mr. Delgado (Alan's father)
who reminds me of Arthur
Colefax. Talked about Palmer
and about Jews. Office
talked signed letters. Took
Mr Ragg about books
Walked home. E. out for week
end. Dinner home. Read Tikki'
Don and papers.

Saturday, February 13

Cold — dull. Office 9.30. Tel. Gov. Chmn closed. dictated. Talk Alan — said now after 6 months we considered him permanent member of Company. Talk J.B. Main [illegible]. S.R.I. Walked to Burlington House & found Dancer & sat in Car until G. Jan. — Nannie Came fr. French Exhibit. Took to lunch. Gave her a bit of beef steak pudding though Nannie too [illegible]. After lunch G. out & Mab Tony, I went to bed.

Tea. Read papers. Frances, Eshers & Nancy [illegible] to dinner [illegible] excellent [illegible] photographs [illegible]

Tel. for Daily Herald re Nour[illegible]

Sunday, February 14

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY. [1st S. in Lent.

Slept badly. Master's go to bed in afternoon again, by that, Gay Doris' Alison for dinner.
* Worked on accounts then got 1 walk. Police from one day reconnoitred a round pound. Lunch c̄ Jan. Trouble about. Account & green vegetables by mother nearly on latter afternoon walked north of St John's Wood to Haberdashery School, met Gregory Brown. Back by bus. Tea G. & talked of sending Jan to Miss Waller's boarding school. Jan playing at camping in sitting room w. Rosalind Curtis

[illegible] read
News [illegible]

Monday, February 15

Office 9.30 Good interview w Nowak in Hearst. Dictated worked over lit. note w. Delgado. Talked bolder ads w. SAT Lunch Gatti 2.35 Read Memoirs of a Polyglot Signed letters. Long call from Princess about nothing Talk Ragg & SAT re ads. Chiefly coloured by Gollancz methods. Home taxi Prince Loewenstein to dine with his fiancée Countess Bianca Treuberg. All went on in car — they to Helen, we to Rose without Thorn Henry VIII + Katherine Howard.

Tuesday, February 16

Office 9.35. Spent
some time opening letters
etc. Dictated. Call
from Loewenstein and
drove him to Saks in
car. On home and
lunch G. & Houston.
Back to office ordering
expensive bifocal spectacles.
Signed letters etc.
Long call for Harry
Hansen re Tickhill Dr.
Long and unprofitable
talk. Ragg & S.A.S. & A.D.
adv. Home taxi. G. & I.
dined Eliot Sands, Virginia
Woolf, Maurice Baring et al

On to Antoinettes musicale party. G. & I. W. Ellis, Schiff, Gerst, Andrews, [illegible] Mr & Mrs [illegible]

Wednesday, February 17

Office 9-30. Usual
letter opening and
attention to details
dictated. Sent Mr.
Delgado to News Agency
with pictures of the
Knights. Talk Miss
Cook about her work.
Talk Ragg adv.
Lunch Garrick & Davis
& Sir Gilbert Parker told
me of new italian Club.
Office signed letters.
Call fr. Atty Hallard.
Republic reports adverse
opinion for counsel as
refusing to register a license

4- Garden Club Lady Islington. Home.
Go to bed at-
having
aches in
nervous
slat
Eleanor back
from Cornwall
with bad
cold.
Dinner home.
Read Francis Stone
by Mrs Tomlin!

Thursday, February 18

Office 9.30 Dictated Miss C. Bruce Lockhart agreement Dictated Miss Yates. Lunch Freda Bill, Alan, Elizabeth, Mr Bevan who is in office w. John. Miss Mollie Lowther. Talked to Bill about books and his writing. to Pubs w. Bevan. Signed letters Dictated Miss Y letter: to Lady Cynthia Talk Ragg & J.A.T. re Mss. Walked home. E. out to dinner Cold better Dinner home, Read Mais

Home Evens. Tommie McGibbon to dinner & on w. Ei. [illegible] Crumbcake

Friday, February 19

Spoke to gardener about removing wire.
Cold and dull. Office 9.35. Dictated to Miss Y. Called Blackadder and went on to Mr Reynolds who is getting doubtful of our deal. Long talk. Back to Office. Lunch Garrick with Edward Faulkner and proposed that he should edit prose book. Talk Miller. Call fr. young man named Douglas with novel. Call fr. Paul Nash w. Rodker jacket. Call fr. Miss Heath. Hair cut

Saturday, February 20

Home. Dinner. G. Clara [illegible] Mary [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Bed & gym. Met Nigel de Grey on bus w. his eldest son. Office 9.20. W. Clemens. Talk Dot & Ragg about her ~~mutiles~~ anthology. W. Gladdy about Pony stories. Talk Alan re adv. Dictated. Walked to Burlington Towers saw Dane and arranged for him to follow He overtook me in Carlos place with G. & Mildred. Lunch home G. & H. To French Exhibition, watched people who looked like pictures. Met G. from tea 49 Belgrave Sq.

Wireless 10 – 11. — M. about Alfred.

Sunday, February 21

[2nd S. in Lent.

Up early & to
Ambersley with Alfreda
Rosalind Cubitt & Nancie
I played golf with West
not good day though lots
of sun - too cold wind.
Luncheon Cottage with
Nancie & children and
home leaving 3 o'c. G.
playing bridge w. Mildred
Dodge & Mrs Meyer Sassoon
& came back after six having
lost £7. I had tea, read
papers and Mais novel.
G & E. dinner - E. went out
I finished Mais novel

Monday, February 22

Mild — rain. Office
9.25, w. memos to staff
Dictated. Met G. at
French Exhibition and
we spent 1½ hrs. Before she
came I met Angela Thirkell
there. G & I lunch on
oysters Wilson's. Back
to office. Call from
Cuthbert, call for
Miss Marriot, ditto from
Miss Beesley. Call from
Bruce Lockhart.
Talk S.A.T. Home ~~taxi~~ bus
from Bond Street. G's digestion
upset by our lunch. Prue to
dinner. E. went to cinema

worked on story, Tyger Days etc.

Cards Islington. Dinner Mesrayo, Dygdalus, Duncan, Lesley, Conrad, Roders [illegible]

Tuesday, February 23

Alfreda on spot probably chicken pox. Waken early by continued noise like horse's hoofs on pavement. Office 9:35 w. mem's to members of Company. Dictated Miss G. Spoke to David Lindsay in Mr Raggs room. Paid bet - note Mr Delgado. Lunch Garrick ^broke bread. Director meeting with Mr Reynolds to discuss Majori shares. Taxi to Dentist left bridge. Back office signed letters goodbye to Mr Sangrove off for Scotland. Back to ~~office~~ dentist, bridge ready. Home. Alfreda has lot of spots. Rested. Tel

Wednesday, February 24

Tel. fr. Thelma Cazalet fixing up B.C. & left Yvonne for me to Alfred a certainly Chicken price). Office 9.30 Dictated w. Thelma Cazalet a bit of Diaries. Called for me and took me to Gdn. Cttee. meeting Lady Islington put forward Mrs Lindsay. Break in Car. Call from Dr George Bedborough. Lunch Gatti. Got cheque book for E.O.T. a/c from Nat City Bank. Lady Clementine called about her mother's anthology. Signed letters. Talk Rugg. ~~To [illegible]~~ Read Bruce Lockhart's synopsis. Walk to Bond Street. Bus home. G & I quarrelled w. Eleanor at drinks over America & the war

Read Draft Preface [illegible]

Thursday, February 25

Alfreda not too spotty, hope chicken pox will be light. Office 9.35. Haskins has got valuable plates fr. Chas.' son & expects to get more stuff which Child acquired illegally. Long talk Haskins & Miller. Dictated letter to Palmer re: Reynolds draft. Many interruptions. Lunch Atkins Garnet. Bought present for Jim. Finished letter to Palmer. Bruce Lockhart signed contract. Long talk. Revised Palmer letter till 7.30. Took home G. E. & Kathleen. Goes to dinner. W. Jennings

Meeting 11 o'c Wyfex, Annual Gen Meeting.

Friday, February 26

To dentist and started work on plates instead of bridges. Had him pull out four more molars. To office in car. Dictated & rewrote letter to Palmer. Discussed agreements Mr Cox, Emmet Gatts, to Reynolds & on to Consul Mrs Winterbothams. He does not think we could assist registering Palmer as his nominee. Tea w B.C. Signed letter rewrote letter to Palmer. Mrs J. stayed late. Walk through soho buying fruit over a cam. Home bus. Dinner 9 & E

Evening read papers & talked & listened to G's gramophone

Saturday, February 27

Up late. Office 10 o'c.
Cold & bright. Cable from
Palmer pressing for registration.
Dictated. Talk Mr Delgado
circular design etc.
Talk Miller re Palmer
getting presents for Jan
Cable. Home taxi. Found
G. & E. away at Gains for
Sunday. (Wieland had asked
me to lunch alone) Afternoon
walked about St. John's Wood.
St Johns Lodge Abbey Road
Home tea G. & nap in
chair. Up to nursery &
started to read new Kuckman
story to Jan. Dinner G. read
papers & Kuckman story.

Sunday, February 28

[3rd S. in Lent.

Did not go to Church as it was so cold. Up late read papers. Up to see Jane her chicken-pox is slight. G & I walk in Park met Wilfred & Patrick desperately cold. She & I had lunch alone. She rested and I walked round Regent Park & home by St Johns Wood Road. Tea G. & up to see Jane. Little nap in chair, G. & I dinner vegetable pie. Evening G & I played bezique. Very pleasant & restful Sunday except for worrying over [illegible]

to Palmers Quab

Monday, February 29

Terribly hot fire. Read Cass Reynolds [illegible] mr. [illegible] to me. [illegible]

Still very cold. G. down affectionately to breakfast. Office 9.30 went through post & papers. Dictated. Talk Mr Delgado abt. Case for Dr Bermann. Lunch late Ath. Talk Mr. Hill about Harley under Rule II. Sat. notes with Mr Delgado. Miss Brady brought jacket design for Monkey Gland & Side Streets. Called Reynolds about reply to Palmers telegram. Walked to Bond St. Bus home. G. out to dinner w. Mildred. Sat in

morning room after dining at [illegible].

Tuesday, March 1

ST. DAVID'S DAY.

Dentist tried effect of upper plate for my back teeth before I have them out. Not bad. Dresser failed to come & I waited ½ hour. Office. Talk Hiller sent cable to Palmer. Called Reynolds. Signed letters &c. Lunch Gatti's. Dictated Mr G. Tried to find book for Mildred's birthday. Mr Hicks found Barrie's Mary Rose which I read. Poor stuff. Walk to Bond Street. E. still at Jones. Dined G.
Read paper, Times & read [illegible]

Cold & foggy. Office 9.40
Tel. Martha. Dictated
most of H.M. Talk
Hackman & Evans about
Miss Fisher. Talk about
libel case with man named
Glass collecting money for
Montauk defence. Talk
Delgado Slopes adv. Lunch
Stalborn. Called Mrs Harris
about Elsie's ship picture at
Times. Call from Gaynor
of Kinga. Dictated Miss C.
Called Martha Bianchi.
Taxi home. Dinner
Mildred Stephanie, 16 in all
Bridge Harry, Edward, Nellie

Eleonora left for America 7.20. Dentist Gunnerod 9.30. G. called for me. Changed green box for framed sampler for Eliz. Eliot. Office in car. Talk w/ Selin + tel. Reynolds. Etc. Lunch Garrick talk + gossip Duckworth. Dictated Fraser Anson. Call from Baroness Budberg. Call from Edward Hutton. Talk Delgado adv. D. McC. Circulars. Left early about 6.30. Walk to Hyde Pk. Corner. Bus home.

Dinner G. + Stephanie. Walked home w. D. I finished typescript of D. lecture.

Friday, March 4

Office 9:30. Talk Hawkins. Dictated Mr. Yates. Talk Balch, who arrived fr. N.Y. last night. Mrs. Belle Lidyard re her husbands death. Lunch Gallo. Read Beckford's Thoughts on Hunting Dictated Miss Cook P.M.: Mrs Ruggy and Mr Delgado were high bred [illegible]. Long call fr. Diamond note copy: Discussed Opal essay which I will not use. Home late. Dinner G. Discussed H. Nicolson, ten Eick, Read Gerhardi's

Pd. [illegible]ources to State Tax

Saturday, March 5

Discussed luncheon with G. in her bath. Office asked Alan asked Baroness Budberg. G. telephoned we'd go to Sunbury Sunday. Call fr. Blumann. Dictated Miss Cook. Walk to Bond Street bus home. Luncheon G. then went out to play bridge w. Medici. I sat with Jan & Nannie in nursery working on Times word puzzle. Walked to Nelly Elliots to play bridge too. Tea alone. G. home lost £9. Took Mildred Stephens, Esther dinner.

Sunday, March 6

[4th S. in Lent.

up early. Carl & Sunny
G. & I motored to
Golf club. I played
with Sunny & G. went
to see Viola. Lunch
at club, Mrs — (Diana
Baldwin), Mr. Du Cane. G.
liked lunch. Motored home
G rested tea & talk & did
not go up to Sunny till
7. which I am rightly resented
Desmond brought some
copy. Got dinner.
Talked. Read papers.
G. went round to
Mildreds to see her & Stephen

Monday, March 7

S.A.T. back from Scotland
up early. G. down
to Mr Garrod's flat
seen to see going well.
Told him about George
Duckworth! Office 10.50
Talk S.A.T. + Dick Bates
Talk Delegates. Asked
Mrs Bullard Lowndes to
lunch. Lunch Gatti.
worked on Commentary again
Signed letters.
Walked home feeling
pretty weak at end.
up to nursery. Stephen
to dinner and read us
family letters after

Up early. G. not down. Office 9.20. Dictated Ward. Call for McIntyre. Call from Colin & Tomlinson and with Childrens book. Home w. Alan and lunch home Balch, Sir Ian Hamilton Harold Nicolson, Alan, Baroness Budberg, Miss Mayne Stephanie, Miss Bellas home by Office signed letters etc. Taxi home, + to Garden Cttee. Lady Islington. Dinner home. G. tired & unusually nervous. Read translation of Plato.

Wednesday, March 9

Up latish G. down first
Office 9.40. Talk of A.T.
Stuckmann. Call fr. Scates
printer Aidan re the Lady Annie
Dictated. Call fr. Britton.
Lunch Garrick Mais, Todd
Fraser Simson Macmillan Hamilton
duet Alice songs. Call fr.
Frasi. Call fr Blackadder.
Dictated Mrs G. Signed
letters. N.C. R.D.P. 5:15
Discussed Quartet "Thou shalt
not Kill." Home bus.
Dinner Stephanie & Mrs. took G.
to A.P. Herbert's version
of Offenbach's "Helen" good

Thursday, March 10

Dentist 9.30 & came away with lower plate. Seems comfortable & looks very well. Office 11 o'c. Miller says we have lost another £5000. this year. Dictated. Bought shoes. Lunch Gatti. Dictated to Yates. Nattali & Maurice doing better. Discussed pub. dates w. J.A.T. Signed letters. Walked home in new shoes & blistered heel. G[illegible] up by Mildred who said prawn kernels in risotto were like beetles or cockroaches. She had a [illegible] & lost £10. at bridge. [illegible] [illegible] 19 [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Edward's [illegible] for Easter & [illegible] + Gladys annoyed. [illegible] called [illegible] a little bridge / I think [illegible] [illegible]

Friday, March 11

Slept in G's room and she cried most of night. Stayed at home till 10 o'c. G. rang Allison called up but was cut off. Tried to get her 4 times but line engaged. Office 10.30 Case for Calvert. Hulk Balch. Tel. for G. going out now. Stephanie to A.M. Lunch Att. Spoke to Sir G. Parker. Guarello elected under Rule II. Office. [illegible] Dictated Case for Vuelings. Walked to Bond Street then home. Dinner G. Evening read cat book. G. started new [illegible]

Saturday, March 12

In G's room again
Cold & sunny. G.
not up. Office 9.40
Talk Mr Clagg et al.
Tel West can't play golf
because of my hurt.
So. Stopped out – talked
Ann: Mr Delgado. Sam
& Nannie to office. Took
Alan home to lunch. He
left early for a walk
& I had a nap in chair
Tea and Mrs Mah Jong
with Alfreda. G. & I.
dinner. G. starting handsewn
stitching brown flannel
for Chippendale Chairs.)

read Proust

[5th S. in Lent.

Sleeping regularly in G's room & trying to get used to noise of the traffic. Up 10 o'c. Cold fog. Decided not to go to Zoo and Alfreda seems to have developed a curious nervous fear of animals. She & I pottered about doing things. Lunch together. Afternoon I drew an elephant to frame for her. Stephanie to tea & then we 4 played Mah Jong. G & I dinner. Evening finished Boni

Monday, March 14

very cold. I find it very hard to bear with my light under clothes. Dentist 9.30. He tinkered my lower plate & pulled out upper because fixed in pieces. Office 11 o'c. Talk B.A.T. Cable from Palmer asking why not register them. Dictated. Talk by tel. Jack Bilbo Berlin. Lunch Gatti. Dictated. Call for Knopf & Portzeb. Tel Reynolds — dictated letter to Palmer. Talk Lab BAT. Home Tube.

Dinner early. Palmer to Concert. 1.10; Jimmie, Brunner, Catherine, Millie

Tuesday, March 15

Slept much & late. Feel
better, possibly owing to
getting rid of bad teeth.
Dressed easily & quickly.
Office 9.50. Call Reynolds
re decision on Cable to
Palmer. Dictated. Call
fr. Reynolds about
Devil's Tour wrapper.
Lunch Ath. Talk Elliot
Fyfe. Denys brought in
drawings for "Economy".
Dictated. Call fr. Reynolds
wi. drawing wh. won't do.
Cable fr 5th Av Bank. Left 3.45.
Home tired. Stephanie to dinner
& talked all evening.

Friday 18th
~~Wednesday~~, March ~~16~~

Cold grey. Taxi to dentist. Dug out root of pin tooth for left upper bridge, & substituted upper plate. Seems excellent. Office 11 o'c. Talk G.R.G. w.r.t. Blackadder. Meeting postponed till 5 o'c. Lunch Gatti. Nattali & Maurice Ann. Gen. Meeting. Call for Tommy Searle, Call Lady Clemmie & Betty. Directors meeting to adopt Balance sheet showing a loss of over £5000 on year. Some strain owing to Mr. Gibbs's uncertain position as N.Y. representative

Hair cut from our Cat. Stephens to dinner, talked after dinner till 1 [illegible]

Thursday, March 17

[ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Up rather late. To office 9.55. Grey day but not so cold.
Tel. Dr. A. & talked to [illegible] Rae about ads. Dictated.
Call from McIntyre who wants Bruce Lockhart but so does Balch.
Talk Balch. Talk S.H.T. Talk G.H.J.
Dictated. Talk S.H.T.
decided not to make difficulties over selling Lockhart to Balch. Signed letters. Home bus fr. Tottenham Ct. Rd.
Dinner Home. G. & Stephanie S. left at 10, when G. went to play bridge w. Drurys. G. lost + came home at 1 o'c.

~~Monday~~ Wednesday
~~Friday~~, March ~~18~~ 16

Cold grey morning. Up
early and office 9.20
still I think feeling better
Trying arguments with
Mrs Cragg. Discussed advis
of Hopes books wh. she is
placing direct. Dictated
Lunch J. Williams Garrick
Tel. Dr Stopes ill & can't
discuss matter. Called
Reynolds re cable fr.
5th Av. Bank. Signed
letters, w. Dr. S., Cabled 5th Av.
Bus home. Stephanie
to dinner. Showed her
books fr. Kains. Read
Mrs. Walling's Bagman

Saturday, March 19

Office latish. Dictated a good many letters but signed only a few. Talk to this one and that. Talk M. & O.P.T. seriously about future of business. Home. Haxi lunch G. & Jane. Out to walk in spite of sore heel - St John's Wood. Tea G. & rested in chair. Stephanie to dinner & went with us as far as Theatre & Mrs Doreslee took her home. G. & I Immortal Hour wonderful Music. We loved

Rain Sunny Rain

Sunday, March 20

[Palm S.

Up fairly early
sat about reading papers
& Hartley Ms. Walk G.
St Johns Wood taking
Taxi there & back.
E M Delafield to lunch
& "Jims" Roberts. Great
fun about her Time &
Tide article. Brought in
G's lunch. Rested in
chair. Tea G. Talked
with Jan, Annie &
Rosalind. Composed ones
for home. Stephanie
to dinner. I read Ms.
Sh & G. had another scene.

Monday, March 21

Dentist 9:30 He worked about a little but found plate working well. Office 11 o'c! sorted papers etc. Talk Delgado stops adv. Dictated. Worked on Chapman & pam. book, W. Dixey - signed letters etc. Lunch Gatti: To Locks about bowler hat - decided take shape & bought one for J. Alvarez Dictated. Signed. Talk Cobb - D.H.T. Walk to Park Lane. bus home. Stephanie to dinner & talk to 3. after

I did not like her calling Horatio who is staying w. Mildred a "Bohemian"

I had no. all time & Pierre worked fine w. Stephanie as usual

Tuesday, March 22

Home late. G. out to Cammaerts dinner early. I had dinner alone. Si: Pog. Rec'd Mrs. Sent mother long typed letter

Office 9.40. Rainy day. Walk to this on street & did not settle down to dictation till late. Then interrupted by Balch. Gave him Bruce Lockhart. Lunch Garrick talk Duckworth Raymond et al about Observer methodistic. Call fr Krüger German publisher of Bilbo about whom he is enthusiastic. Call fr Mrs Marston who represents Curtis Brown. Call from Fox Strangways. Call fr Krüger again & we. [illegible] pieced up this mat book.

Wednesday, March 23

Office 9:30 bowler hat
& light coat. Talk.
Call for Criggs. Tried to
write notes for ad. Other
fronts. Hdqs. Bilbo.
Lunch Garrick Rupert
Hart Davis. Sidney Bernstein
had lunch with Baker
and Many discussed the
situation in N.Y. Dictated
signed letters. Talked
Miller about Ros. Fisher
who expects M. Hastings.
J. called for me in car.
Cocktail Sibyl Colefax. Talk
Bernstorff. Asked about

Thursday, March 24

Misty warmer. Office
9.35 Tel. from Jack
Bibbs in Paris. Talk
Balch re to Paris.
Tel. Mrs Grubb. Mr Grubb
still ill perhaps worse.
Dictated. Call from Mrs
Macdonald who wants to
illustrate Lady Cynthia's book.
Call from Fisher Unwin w. Edward [illegible]
Lumber Act. Dictated
Diary. Call fr Lord Montague
Walked home. Up to nursery
G. out-at-dinner. Dinner alone.
Read Bruce Lockhart. Very
good. G. home. Talked.

Friday, March 25

[GOOD FRIDAY QUARTER DAY.

Up latish. G & I & Jane in motor to Blackheath walked about - Paragon lovely Adam houses. Jane & I on the pond in a boat. Got Dennis to throw coconut shy till he got one. Into Park to observatory. I measured my foot & compared my watch wi. Greenwich time ¼ min fast. Lunch home. Dennis opened coconut. Painted my elephant wi. India ink. Out for walk in Park. Stephanie's tea, Mahjong. Dinner. Bed

Saturday, March 26

Up latish. G. Jane and I in motor to Tower. Crown Jewels James II & Mary of Modena figuring chiefly. Stone where Anne Boleyn was executed. Ravens flapping & hopping about. Room where Raleigh imprisoned. White Tower. Beakers pole. Dungeon where 600 Jews imprisoned by Edward I. Ate pears & plums on way home. Lunched home. Rested. Egg hunt Alfreda Ann, Rosalind, Elizabeth, Nicky, Edwards, Genetia & Helen Spinola, Joan Frew. Stephanie's to tea & dinner

Talked and read Huxley. Home with Stephanie.

Sunday, March 27

Grey turning to light rain [Easter S
Up late. Got &
Alfreda late to St John
Church. Tam & I walked
Glass before luncheon
w. Mildred, Stephanie
& Guy welcome at M's.
After Grey took G. & me
to Kensington Palace
Mary & Kent. After luncheon
Grey admitted to M. that he
might succeed Lionel Earle
as First Commissioner of Works
Grey home to tea w. us &
Mrs Tony w. us & Alfreda.
Dinner w. Stephanie Morris Bat
& Bush. Arthur & I Bagatelle
others bridge.

Monday, March 28

[BANK HOLIDAY.

Windy showery.
Off immediately after breakfast
to Amberley. G. felt sick
in car. I started going
badly then got knack of
backing back and drove
better than ever before.
Lunch G. Nanna & Jan
Amberley picnic. Don, Cecil
& Mrs Frank there. G. sick
from motion of car coming
home. Alfreda very solicitous
Tea home. Then Mah Jong
Stephanie's to dinner. So
rude that I was silent &
G. annoyed. Read Hartley
walked Anne Stephanie's

Tuesday, March 29

Summer arrived from Holland just as I was leaving for office. Cold day. Blustery, bright & threatening to rain. Office 9.40. My room being cold. Tel. Mrs [illegible] still ill but seeing doctor today. Dictated Miss Cook. Miss Y. returned from [illegible] about 11 o'c. Dictated to her. Summer came to luncheon Garrick. Worked on statement [illegible] Call for Fire Strategy. Worked late on my statement at An. Gen. Meet. Home [illegible] for. Oxford Street. Summers – [illegible] dinner all went on to [illegible]

Cold sun & shade.
Up early. Tired. Dentist
9.30. Office 11.15.
Worked Devils Tor jacket
Mr Ragg. Worked on my
speech to shareholders, talk
Mr Miller. Read Leach
book about criminals.
Sumner to lunch Garrick.
Back to office called on Am.
Chapm. He came in from Moss's
& showed his new coat.
Talk Mr Ragg Devils Tor
jacket. Official Body
jacket. Dictated Miss Y.
Talk Ragg & JNT decided on
name of Putnam in brochures

Milder raining day with spots of sun. Office 9.40. Dictated. Talk Balch about Miss Goldsmith "Secret Symbols" Discussed Bridge Book jacket Curtis. Call fr. Mr. Calder about Mussolini play trans by John Drinkwater. Lunch Ivy Lady Cynthia & Delgado. Called Reynolds about annual gen meeting. Decided not to introduce subject of interference by N.Y. Walk to Bond Street. Bus home. Dinner. G. & Tommie. Read Mussolini's Napoleon play.

Friday, April 1

James Mac Gibbon: Got Summer read Summer [illegible] i. book

Office 9.35. Opened
letters etc. Tel. fr.
Calder giving Mussolini's
play to Sidgwick & Jackson
Annual General Meeting
w. Baker. All passed
off smoothly. Luncheon
Willard [illegible] G. Eric
Villiers and young man
w. queer name whom
I dropped afterwards at
Agnews. Signed letters
Call from Yeats
about Lady Gregory
Talk G.A.T. about ads.
Rain & home by tube.
Summoned not driving & play w.

Saturday, April 2

Office 9:30. Discussed MS re Lamennais by Miss Peter w. Mr Rapp. Talk SAT. Dictated. Discussed 'Beckford' w. Rapp. Had Baker about German books offered by Gollancz. Walked home. Luncheon G. Jan & Summer. Then G. rested, Summer out, Jan & I melted glass tube into ornaments. Tea G. & then Alix & Jan to Harrow to school concert. I read Horace book. Dinner G & S.

Living furnished downstairs new budget

Sunday, April 3

[1st S. after Easter

Raining morning but Sumner & I motored to Golf Club starting soon after 9 o'C. Arrived in rain. Tel. Violet Leconf starting for Ireland today and not able to have us to lunch. By then rain less & we started playing round Sumner & I v. Jimmie. Great fun. Sumner & I lunched and then to Amberley. Home 5 o'C. G. at Violet's. Sumner & I tea in nursery. Then & I made more glass ornaments. Dinner 9.0. Do.

After dinner we 3 played Mah Jong

Monday, April 4

Office 9.45 Cable from Mrs Putnam ask if me as farmer to register shares. Talk D.A.T. Talk Ray about current work. Dictated. Very cold in my room. Somebody got into shop yesterday. Saw Vanbn about another key. Lunch 1 Ht. Saw H & Co Bank about a/c. Signed letters. Talk etc. Long talk Miller & D.A.T. about Palmer & about smoking in office. Very cold all day. Walk to Bond Street

Dinner Lucas. Mildred Patrick & ~~to~~ or to play Musical Chairs; [illegible]; John Selfridge

Tuesday, April 5

[illegible]

Up early. Fully better
regarding situation ws.
Fabian likes a game.
Office 9.25. Opened
letters. Talked Miller.
Called Reynolds 10.30
to consider cable for
Mrs Putnam. Went
back. (P.M. W. Cheques pay
bills.) Received lit. ditto.
~~[illegible]~~ Call fr Rev. M. Jude
of Barnstable who wanted
me to employ ex-officer who
has been in Leavenworth for
drunkenness. Lunch @ [illegible]
& Brakespeare Street.

[illegible]

Wednesday, April 6

Up early 9.30 dentist appointment – Mr Garand. Office 9.45 Worked with S.B.F. & Mr Delgado on Staples adv. Called for Capt Smalley & took Staples add. W. not for Tiger Dancing Economy. Walked down Street wh. Alan on way to Tower Gate. Signed cheques. Dictated to Miss Gates. Talk Mr S.B.F. about advertising and about our sales and prospects of sales. Home by bus fr. Bond Street. Dinner G. & Thomas & Mahony.

Thursday, April 7

Up early but dawdled
so slowly office at 9.45
Talk Hatchkiss & Miller
about Child stock which
they are managing with great
skill. ^call [illegible] & [illegible] Murray Call Reynolds re
Major's shares. Dictated
Mrs Conk against Lady
Gregory. Looked up Stephens
ads. ws. Miss Yates. Call
from Summers Quinlan with
Miss Fisher. Lunch Att.
Dictated Miss Y. Called
Medley about Murray.
Complaint about DuBois Byrd
Call fr. O. Williams re. Major's
Discussed Mar. ws. Reggs & J.A.T.

walk to Bond Street. Came back for
Yeats. Drank
Club.
Dinner
[illegible]
Summers
[illegible]
[illegible]
Dinner.

Friday, April 8

up early, but drowsy —
ate early [illegible] to 1½ hr
Office 9.35 Full morning
of dictation w. Mrs G.
H. Dalgard up about
his notes etc. Talk
Ray Duell Tom Byron
etc. Talk [illegible] Cooke about
Police work, opt etc.
Lunch Garrick Dick Taylor
Talk Balch Elizabeth Robins
Call fr. Tchng. Davis, Cass
& Desmond talks of his
trip of Shand, & of Du Bois
& Byron. Call fr. Sainsbury
talk 2 hrs about Reynolds
walk to Bond Street Home [illegible]

James & [illegible] to dinner: G. & Bunny
& Henry; Ruby; Tabor & [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] & [illegible]

Saturday, April 9

[FIRE INSURANCE EXPIRES.

Cheerful grey day. Office 9.25. Milly G. away. Declared to Mrs C. & begged her to take more responsibility. Good bye to Batch without reference to Registration of chairs. Walked home & mistook big summer in Park. Lunch home. G.G. - refreshing. Tiny Tami elephant. Rested in chair in drawing room. Tea G. & S. Mah Jong with Sammy, G. & A. I, G. and I dined. Mildred I came home after writing

Barclays [illegible] Henry [illegible]

[illegible] thanks for Poem [illegible]

Sunday, April 10

[2nd S. after Easter.

Up latish. Very weary but about. Read
Guy Mervyn. G & I
short walk in Park.
Luncheon G., R. and A.
G. and I walked
to St. Johns Wood past
Gubbs. rch. I had returned
at foot of Hamilton Pl.
Home for tea. Met
Tony, D. G. & A.
A. home to A. I. G. finished
up last things in her
own thorough way. Dinner
Read Guy Mervyn! All very
sad & Dummy cried.

Monday, April 11

9. o'c in car all of us
to Victoria with Anne Powell
Nannie & Alfreda & Anne
for a fortnight in France
then on to Florence, G.
direct to Florence after a
night w. Stephanie in
Paris. Sad good byes. Jimmy
joined us at Victoria. I
left blue John tray to be
mended C. & C. & on to office.
Talk Hartman more about
Thieme. Calls re. Chronicle
warning. Lunch Gatti. Jimmy
& Alan lunch together. All afternoon
talk Reynolds. Dictated

Fixed letter Parsons. Talk Willie.
Walk home. Dressed. Dined alone. Did jig-saw. [illegible] Played. Jimmy [illegible] Bed 12

Tuesday, April 12

Summer down to breakfast
office in car. Dictated
Miss Y. Let. notes etc.
After ? Tel. fr. Sir Henry
Vernon, Tell fr. A. Muckle
secretary. Call fr.
Blackadder. Tel. fr.
Lady Fullerton's secretary
re baby book. walk
to Holborn for lunch &
beer. Dictated letter
to Palmer to submit to
Reynolds. Long call from
Britten & talk w. him
and JAT. Then talk re
Palmer situation w. JAT
till 7.30. Home late

Dressed. Dinner & Discussions & Tel. [illegible] [illegible]

Wednesday, April 13

Up 6.30. Helped Dunne w. labels etc. Breakfast 7 o'c. To Waterloo in Car. Mr Selfridge on boat-train. Waited till it steamed out. Sorry for Dunne to go. In car to office. Dictated Miss Y. all morning w. only brief interruptions. Tel. G.H.J. Luncheon Garrick Taylor, Denis Mackail, Tel Rogers. Signed letters. Directors meeting postponing consideration of Palmer's share transfer. Miss Y. home early w. bad cold. TONCAP P in Car. Walk: home dinner alone. W.G. read Mafia. Bed 11 o'c.

Arranged w. Olmst to keep
dining room open. To
dentist in car & on to
office after extraction of
bad molar. Talk S.A.T.
Harkness. Dictated to Miss
C. new draft-letter to Palmer
Miss Y. away ill. Lunch Faith.
Call from Paul Schaffer
Call from Moskowitz re
Dubois's Hay Fever
Talk S.A.T. Walk home
via Madison Street
Dinner home. W.G.
Read Mafia book
Bed early.

Friday, April 15

Up early feeling a bit
odd after long night.
Office for Dar. Miss
Ly. back but still
has bad cold. Dictated
call for Blackadder
re letter to Palmer.
Walk to Waterloo to
Pentland Book shop who
w: p.c. about Huntington
print - of no interest.
Lunch at Station. Call from
Sir James Marchant.
Dictated. Finally sent off
letter to Palmer. Hair cut.
Home bus. Dinner home. W.G.
& Jane. Read "Mabin"

Saturday, April 16

Office in car 9.30
Dictated Miss G.
Home in car. Lunch
home. Dan & Raymond
moved wardrobes, & I
moved my things into
front room. Went
to bed. Up for tea.
W. G. Read Stewart
Caine's: Child of Clay.
Dinner alone, had felt
pretty homesick but
better in the evening.
Read Caine's book
pleasant mostly the story
of a Catholic Parish priest

Sunday, April 17

SUMMER TIME COMMENCES. [3rd S. after Easter.

Clocks put forward
up late breakfast
11 o'c. Rainy day.
Read papers & wrote
some things. Pretty
sad & lonely lunch
alone. Tel. Bluts Alfred
going on as well as could
be expected. 1st Bertie
typhoid in Cairo, L. & M. there
Read & finished Carnes
book. Tea. W. Sir H.
Verney. Rested & felt
better dinner time. W.
G. & Jane. Read Mervyn Mill
novel a la Lady Chatterley

Monday, April 18

Sent sketches of windows to K.B.
Cold during morning
engaged clearing in
painted room. Letter
from G. Duncan took
him to Zoppie. Dieted
with G. // Lunch (met
G. Duckworth).
Went with Alan to see
Oliver Messel about
wrapper for Lady
Cynthia's book.
Signed letter, Case
from Bruce Ricklet
Worked on Atlas w. Alan
walk to Bond Street, then
bus. Dinner home. V.G.
did accounts. Read Times

Tuesday, April 19

Slept in back room very badly. Office in Car. Discussed Bulletin Offer w. James MacGibbon Walk Ragg Mafia book. Dictated. W. Cut notes. Nash called up from Ragg furious about his display on circular. Placated him by giving him picture of Scott & pubs. from my wall. Lunch. Gatti. Nat. Ag. Company. Took Ragg et al. W. Mrs Barclay. Walk Bond Street. Bus home. Dinner home. W. G., Antoinette

Read papers.

Wednesday, April 20

Slept in front room better. (Office in car) Told Sty. Smith workmen to paint front w. 30. Talk MacGibbon & tel Ron. Wallstein. Dictated. Lunch Garrick Dunlop. Call fr. Dickie. Call from. Rodker. Call from Claude Fisher. Signed letters. Talk Miller. Wants £12000 sales beyond budget. Walk to Bond Street & bus home. Dinner cold pigeon pie. W. G. & Jane read Tikhi Don.

Thursday, April 21

In car to Garrard &
on to office. Tel Ms
Gratt and arranged to
lend him car the p.m.
opened letters etc.
Board meeting. Mr Blackall
emphasized retrenching &
we decided to speak to
Ehrman this & perhaps
Miss Cook. Lunch Garrick
Owen Nares. Dictated about
Du Bos. Talk Delgado
adv. Signed letters.
Talk S.P.T. adv. Tel
Tunnicliffe. Raining & home
tube. Dinner home. W.J.
to - Surrey W.

Friday, April 22

Office in car 9.30
to arranged for Dresses
to telephone offering car to
Mr Grover. Dictated. Call
from Tunnicliffe. Dictated
talk Mrs Cook. Bank
Deposited G's cheque for Guard.
Lunch Garth. Talk
Tunnicliffe and Sq. Williamson
Signed letters. Talk
Miller re my salary.
W. letter to Johnston offering
£50. for Lady Clemmie's trips
Talk 1st Casanova. Home
to Bond St. walking – then bus.
Dinner home. W.G. Read
[illegible] Dor.

[ST. GEORGE'S DAY

Grey & cold. Car to office. Great fuss about bad printing of "Economy" & decided for best. Cable for N.Y. abandoning 13 periods & going back to monthly basis. Home took lunch & packed. W.G. Nap. Motored to Wallington in grey weather. Tea. Walk in garden after seeing Gerry's very successful new Gallery. Mrs Eve Fleming to dinner & talked of life & the ways of the young

Sunday, April 24

[4th S. after Easter.

Weather bright. up earlyish
sat about reading
papers etc. Gerry
started washing old one
he found. Gibbons
arrived and walk
about garden. Sat
in summer house
& talked about Du Bois
Bryan. After lunch w. G.
long walk away up
at Gerry's cow-barn
and cottage. Tea. Nap
upstairs. Dinner &
talk. Gibbons left.
All very cozy & affectionate

Monday, April 25

Motored up from Wellington w. Grey. Stopped at home. Long doubtful letter fr. G. Office about 12. Mrs Grubb here looking better but notes & Times stops add the Delgado. Dictated a lot; long talk Blackadder elimination, & lunch w. him Garrick. Signed letters etc. Long talk Mearayn with about his Fresco novel. Home taxi. Dinner Grey & Graham — w. went national dinner. Sat w. R. W. Robertson

Tuesday, April 26

Office on open bus. Dictated Min. Y. Talk Delgado Stopes & other adms. Dictated Min. Y. Talk to Armstrong explaining that we can't keep him with trade with Germany at a standstill. Lunch Gath. Call fr. Mr Harrison re Lord Oxford Letters. Dictated Min. Y. Talk Mr. Scott w. Diary. Left 6.20. Walked home. Felt better. Dinner home alone. W. G., W. Miller. Read Spectator 1 hr.

Wednesday, April 27

Dentist & on to office
in Car. Dictated to
Miss Cook. Talk James
MacGibbon and wrote
Fritz Ross and Frau von
Nostitz. Met Caines at Ath.
No table engaged. Took
him to Garrick & found
table engaged there.
Call fr. Sir James.
Dictated Miss C. & Miss
J. Tel. fr. Britton about
Space time Inn. Worked on
plan for Aunt Edith's window
Walked home. Dinner. W. G.
w. Calvert. Read Space Time Inn
To bed 10.30

Thursday, April 28

Evening had dinner when too tired and so worked too soon after: indigestion in the night. Office in car 9:30. Worked on adv. etc. Dictated. Call fr. young Alvino Michael Norton. Storm changed to a good spirit and on to Lady Chemin for lunch. Cyril Marks, Battiscombe, + McEwan [illegible] Took two letters back in car. Signed letters. Talk Miller + Treagrove. Walk thro. Soho to Bond St. Dinner home. W. G., W. Chemi about Max. Read Guy Mannering

Friday, April 29

Discussed Silver Ship papers
& ticket with Rapp. Tel.
Arthur Bruce who document-
went to be security for Aunt E's.
will. Took Miss C. Barclay
dentist. Started letter to
Mrs Barclay. Tried
to find foreign stationery.
Lunch Garrick. Called
for Brother. Call for
Cornwallis trust. Talk
Miller & ADT about
letting Evans take on other
work in addition to N.Y.M.
walk to Bond Street - Bus home
w. G. Dinner Dr Irvin Brand
Hamilton nice man.

Saturday, April 30

Office 9.30. Talk
Delgado about portrait
of queen. Worked on
Ebury Messenger and W.
Gray letter to Mr Beasley.
Met Desmond outside
arranging final copy.
Home. Letters fr. Cocker from It.
Lunch home. Back to office
& buy Paul Nash's "Beech
wood in the Downs". Barber
engaged so couldn't get
hair-cut. Athenaeum for
tea, W. G. & Tom. Walk
home. Dinner home.
Evening read Connell. [illegible]
Feeling lousy.

[5th S. after Easter.

up 7 o'clock and caught
9 o'clock train for
Pulborough. West met
me at station. Drove
well and went round
a few holes. Lunch.
W. Rita P.C. to Jan.
Tea. W.G. Did not
have enough time to get
to station and missed
train after desperate
walk. Exhausted waited
in station and in easy
chair by fire in hotel
where I got sandwiches to
eat in train at 7.45. Home
10.30. W. Dobbing and back

[ROYAL ACADEMY OPENS.

Up 7.30. Dressed & ate as usual. Office 9.35. Dictated Miss Cook, Dictated Miss Yates. Called for Dance and arranged for his summer. Told him to take a permanent place if he got a good one. Lunch Holborn. Watch set had gained 40 seconds since Dec 17. Left cig holder to be trimmed when burnt. Signed letters. Talk ads. Delgado. Walk to Bond St. Dinner home W. G. Read Dahlberg.

Cold again

Indigestion in night fr. drinking a dose of olive oil the last thing. Head in dressing office 9.45 Row wi' Mr Dagg about Ferry Wattheward ills. Dictated all morning Miss G. Paid bills. Lunch Gatti's. Signed letters. Met Delgado. Miss Cork. Stayed late talking to SAT about production Plan to bring Mr Delgado upstairs & send Anderson down to be near Mr SAT [illegible] tube. Dinner home. W.G. read E. Edward Albert stories

Tel. fr. G. Alfred's around. Office 9.25. Talk Mr. [illegible] S.A.T. about ~~[illegible]~~ case record Mr Miller & he having had a disagreement. Talk for an hour & fifteen minutes with Miller! Dictated to Mrs Yates trying to get through my pile, interrupted by S.A.T. about Tell Halaf in to S.A. Lunch Guerie's. Talk Harry. Tel fr. Dick Glyn about coming to the country. Talk Delgado about his story for Lady Cynthia. Talk S.A.T. & Ragg about Albert Stone's. Left office 7.30! Home by 8 o'clock & dress. Dinner home. W. Corinne & Simmons

Thursday, May 5

ASCENSION DAY.

Gym. Mr Cooper Niemeyer
Office 9.25. Started
dictation early. Talk
Hawkins - book case for
Symonds? Talk Jefferies
about Edward Albert:
Lunch Miller & S.A.T. R.A.C.
Long talk Dunsany
Kruger talk G.B. Mair:
Talk Shand about
film by A.H.T. Talk
Delgado about his story
Signed letters. Talk
Nevis Count about salary
Out. Walked home
across Park. Dinner home
read papers. Bed 7.

Friday, May 6

[ACCESSION DAY.

Up early but
all my efforts to take
such time office 9.45
Answered phones home etc.
Dictated Miss Cook a
lot. Then Miss Yates.
Call fr. Jimmy Hunt.
Lunch 1 by Mrs Mayne
Called Raymond Sayre
about Mais.
Call fr. Britton. Talk
Delgado about
his story for Lady Cynthia
Signed letters Sorted papers
Walked home. Dined home
W. G. read ~~Th~~ Fleming to Caley

Saturday, May 7

Office 9.30. Letter from Vera Barclay with allusions of her mother [illegible] [illegible] Dictated Miss Clark & Mrs J. Moving Miss Cook down to Mrs Landeaux's room. W: mother-in-law about Windsor W: Drummond about Coming & meeting Alan regards. Walked home lunch. To Barber busy. Httl. W. G. back to barber hair cut. Called Knapp's Brown's Hotel Mr Knapp telling accident Tai no. children. Walked hom

Dinner home. W. Davies & Mr Shand Test about [illegible] House. W. Mr Frampton re tea on Thursday

Sunday, May 8

[S. after Ascension

Up early; lovely day. 9.5 to Pulborough. West met me. 1st hole in Bogie but poor after that. Lunch w. Cooper. W. Sally. Tea club house. Saw Bruce Lockhart. Walked to Pulborough in good time. Slow train home. Dinner w. out dressing 21 Hill Street Antonietta and Horatio Stone. W. G. W. Mrs. Stock about Whitsun at Hubberley

Monday, May 9

Read
Shelley

walked home. Dinner 7.45. W.J.

Pouring rain all day
till evening. Up early
but office late. Miss
Cook down stairs.
Talk to Lemaistre.
Worked on Sunday Times
adv. Call fr Kennard
and talked about Stock.
Dictated Miss Cook.
Call fr Taylor Denys.
Mr G. Delgado sent his car
went over his works, &
then Amer. Gt. Eastern
Stores then visited Synagogue
in Bevis Marks. Mr Gaster
& Mr Marchant. Back office
signed letters. Capt George West

Tuesday, May 10

Trouble sleeping owing Drury month opening! Orange before I got up. Dressed by 8.30 Office 9.20. Worked on papers. Dictated to Miss Y. W. Barclay description book. Lunch Gatti. read Book + pamphlet about asparagus. Castle Baynard Buildings Talk D.H.T. Dictated Miss Yates. Talk S.A.T. says Hodder + Stoughton stuff is what sells best. Highbrow modern stuff not in it for sales. I walked home. Dined W. Mrs Hook, Matheson, Emily Lady Moore, Mr Muirhead. 9.

Up early but slow
again - office 9.40.
Went Murphy's letters
etc. W. Owen's. Discussion
Dictated Mrs Yates,
To O.B.C. w/. Mr
Delgado. Talk
Mrs Henderson, Talk
Hylanna Maud. After lunch
Given Decree, Dr Riccard
Gregory & Dr B. Spoke.
Case for. Freedom Wright
signed letters. Worked
on circulars Mr Delgado
N.C.N.D.P. my idea of meeting
in H. of C. Walked home

Thursday, May 12

Office 9.30 Talk
Mr Ehrenstein and
arranged for him to
leave next week.
Talk also. Mr Delgado
Dieland. Call fr. Arthur
Ransom. Call fr A.E.
Johnson. Lunch from
Mr Hay of Royal Carts
Back to office Mr Miller
has heard Putnam N.Y.
in hands of Bankers.
Call fr young Sydney
Trudgeon. Tea Mr & Mrs
Franklin in their new flat.
Walk home. Dine W.G.
packed

Friday, May 13

Office in taxi with bag. Opened letters etc & dictated Mrs Cook. Passed adv. proof Mr Delgado struck for Smalls. Dictated Mrs G. Call fr Raymond Savage about Marie's. Lunch Garrick Davis Lutyens, George Duckworth. Signed letters etc. Taxi to Victoria. 4.20 to Amberley Doris met me Pulborough rain. Walk w. Doris up to wood cottage. Dennis Emmet. Two Ruddbrothers & Francis's wife. Drank more than usual [illegible]

Saturday, May 14

Cool grey morning up
7.30 breakfast 9 o'c
Took Mrs Stork & expected to
look at new distemper
till the afternoon: Guy
w. Ashbees men had
got mixed up & did not
expect me: Lovely day.
Luncheon Club. Motored
home and went over home
w Mrs Stork. New distemper
badly stippled like ragged
Chrysanthemums. Tea
W. G. and walked on
downs w: Don. Dinner
Mathiesons, big party

Sunday, May 15

[Whit S.

Up early misty day.
Dulcie let out one of Tani's
lizards and we had oil
stove burning all night
~~&~~ in garden but he did
not appear. Gay & I.
went played baby.
Lunch and talked Mrs
La Fargue. Motored home
W. G. Sat in sun &
read papers. Tea.
Motored to Angmering
what a change since
we went in. Freddie
in 1919. Dinner Viola
& Sylvia Lucas.

Monday, May 16

[BANK HOLIDAY.

Up later morning
Golf Club about
10.15. Cleared more
on his & played round
w. Went almost completely
badly. Lunch Club.
Motored home, Called
Mazle about window
Left message of goodbye
to Evelyn. Delia telephoned
goodbye to Mrs Mathews.
Motored to Little Bognor long afternoon
tea Lady Mears. Met
Hurst & his family Pulborough
Station, dear little girls.
Victoria 7.30 Dinner Train. Home
9.15 W.G. & Sams, Betty Mathews

Tuesday, May 17

Up as usual. Office 9.30
Sorted papers & opened
letters. Dictated Miss G.
Answered telephone calls.
Mr Delgado to see me
about this & that
Impatient res. Miss Cook
as usual. Lunch
Holborn. Left cig holder
at Christians, Hatton Garden
for new case. Signed
letters dictated Miss G.
Long talk Mr Ragg.
Tel. Miss Whall. Walked
home. Dinner home. V.G.
Read letters of Archie Valebris

for C.T. his essay. Interesting & promising papers but not * long

Wednesday, May 18

Office 9.40. Long letter from Murray Hill. Dictated. Called Sir F. Macmillan. Call for Dawson. Lunch Ath. Mr Thring about his book on Marketing Literature. Signed letters. Call for Norberg. Cleared desk — Davis — J. sent files, W.G. Walked to Bond Street. Bus home. Dressed, Dinner Antoinette, Nancy Heckscher, Angela, Young man Wragge & Fleury. A. & I. to Van Druten Somebody Knows — very pleasant

Thursday, May 19

Up a bit late. Office 9.40
Dictated. Called fr.
Kermode about stock
which D Ath. has.
Miller advised keeping Mrs
Platt & putting Taylor
on production. Lunch Ath.
Called for young man fr.
Dwight. B. Matthes
about window etc.
signed letters. Dictated
Anne Y. Long talk w. S.A.T.
Production dept for Taylor
Call fr. Ehrenstein Maud Pe
walked home. Dinner hom
W. G. read Thring's book

up early but can't seem
to dress in less than 1½ hrs
Office 9.40. A bit of
talking with this one & that
& then settled down for a
solid morning of dictation
to Mr G. T H. for Cabinet
about Sir H. Samuel.
With no interruption dictated
straight up to lunch - Garrick
Harry Graham et al.
Case for Mais. Signed
letters. Talk Miller
and [illegible] about
production dept. Walked
home by Maddox St: Dinner
home. W. S. Read Mais

Saturday, May 21

Bought brown
Derby hat Johnson;
Office 10. oc. Dictated
Mrs Gates W.J. Called Thing
Suffolk St. Home Leaves
1.48 to Didcot. Edward
Fairholme joined me in
carriage after I had read it
& he lunched. Motored
to Sib's Ralph & his
mother Lady Mary. She &
I to tea McDowells.
I went for walk in
rain. Hot bath before
dinner. After dinner
talked; Abt good hostess
Amelia Earhart has flown Atlantic

Sunday, May 22

[Trinity S.

Glynes Bedington: Cabled
Breakfast - 9.30 gay Peter
Tit & I motored to downs
& walked long day.
Lord Ernle to luncheon
delightful man. Talk
about Kaiser. Edward
Thompson & his wife & boy
to luncheon. Motored
to downs & walked again
Tea & talk Thompson,
he does not like Galway
W.G. Talk after
dinner. Lady Mary
very set & uncompromising
but sense of fun.

Monday, May 23

Marndhues Hartington up early and packed with assistance of raw but willing footman. Goodbye to Sir Rupert & Lady Mary. Train 9.29 Paddington 10.35. Home. Tel. to Freebury about Miss Eckhart suggested design for wall outside library to pattern. Office. Opened letters etc. Signed letters. Lunch Garrick. Stage Society — Coco [illegible] Spoke to Baroness Budberg. Ivor Montagu, Rupert Hart-Davis, Hugh Walpole, walked back Geoffrey Dearmer. Letters from Palmer & [illegible]

writing up [illegible]. week-end [illegible]

Tuesday, May 24

[EMPIRE DAY

Up early but N.Y. situation in my mind. Saw painters about indigo for wall of home. Office 9.45. Lat. note with Lean. Dictated Mrs G. Call from Thring. Call from Mrs Beckie Lowndes & lunch with her boy. Signed letters. Another letter fr. N.Y. signed by Britten & Mrs Putnam. Talk Miller. Signed letters. Called Lady Ramsdale about Fenn row; Lovely walk home. Dined Lake Margaret & Munro. Then W.G. Bed 10'c.

Wednesday, May 25

Mrs. Lindsay dropped; walk Park; Dinner home; W. [illegible] Bd. Cards

Visited an indigo paper mill. Office 9:30 Got Miss Y. to copy Palmer letter for possible sending to Bertha, sorted papers dictated a bit to Miss Y. Talk M. Delgado about illustrations in his story. Lunch Norberg who is gloomy about their future. Conference Keywells + Blackadder re Palmer. Tea Fuller's. Signed letters Taxi to Garden Ctr. Lady Islington next Ken and

Thursday, May 26

[H.M. QUEEN MARY'S BIRTHDAY

Violet Rainforth called up at 9.10 & asked me to go to Mircel on Fri. & I asked her to dine first at Overlisters. Lost my temper with Painter over indigo! Office & sorted letters etc. Dictated a bit. 1/2 to Town to see Lady Chemis. She came back to see me and discussed her book and I introduced Blau. She has asked me to bring him to lunch on Saturday. Walk up to High Holborn and back. Lunch [illegible] Called Spriggs re Thing. Call

[illegible] Telephoned G. [illegible]

Came from [illegible]

Friday, May 27

Office 9:30 Read
Hutton do. admired
Reg Maccarthy ~~[illegible]~~ wrapper
dictated. Mr WAT has
seen a letter fr Bates
to G. St. J. Mintef named
president, Richmond gov,
Palmer Chairman.
Call fr Mr Pritchard
Lumber standi Wyndham
Call fr Sir James,
Call from Blackadder
to Bufflastin about tabl.
Home dinner'd, w. 9 back to
Bordertin ws. Violet Leeapid
Bothered because walter
repudiated sister Annie

on to Winsah a good deal of beauty

Saturday, May 28

Cool cloudy day. Office
9.30. Talk Alan Thos
Stopes circular. W.
Long letter to J.
W. Colonel Thackeray
dictating his memoirs of
Arthur Ritchie. Lunch
Clemmie's leaving wi' Alan
whom I left to go with
them to the Zoo.
Walked home across Park
in rain. Tea home.
Read papers, w G. again.
Dinner home. Read
Chekhov story
Delicate Fees.

Sunday, May 29

[1st S. after Trinity

9.5 Train for Brough. Met by Wyatt just as rain stopped. Good morning Golf Lunch Club, & Stoke Drive: Lowthers. Read Kleckmann's Ms. "Shell Fire" her own story of being discharged fr. R.A.S. Tea and hurried to station just catching train. Home 5.20 ! Dinner home. Evening read Magnolia Street W. G. Worked a bit on letter to Butcher

Monday, May 30

Told painters to paint one wedge in wall with our-yellow like library. Office 9.45. Opened letters. Wrote notes to staff etc. Dictated. Cards for Dinner; Lunch Friday, Violet L. Billy Alan + girls + Archie Edmondston. Spent afternoon w. Reynolds & Blackadder discussing development of W. Palmer. Talk SAT. Walked home. Dinner home. W.G. & Violet L. Tried to get on w. letters & bulletins

Tuesday, May 31

Told painter to do one wall of mill opp. Library in white to get rid of grey blight of the middle o' Office 9.45. Opened letters w. Austin etc. Dictated a bit. To Alt and got on pretty well w: letter to Bertha. Lunch Alt. Sat on stairs, Sir A. Baker passed & spoke to me. Back to Office. Signed letters etc. Dictated Diary. Walked to Bond Street. W.G. Dressed & dinner Lady Ludlow 6 o'clock, & on to Meistersinger

[DERBY DAY.

Office 9.30. Dictated & but,
worked on letter to
Bertha. Directors meeting
re: Blackadder 12-1.30
talk about staff reduction
etc. Lunch Garrick.
Paid Spellman for chairs
& cheque pay bills
signed letters. Call from
Mrs re 2 visits. Call
from Conrado. Worked
on letter to Bertha
till 7.15. Walked
home. Dined home
8.30. W.V.J., W.
Violet L. Worked on
letter to Bertha.

Thursday, June 2

Office 9.30. Notes to— Tel. Magruder, Kitchen staff etc. Dictated Miss C. & Miss J. Worked on letter to Butler. Call from Mon Durant about teacher's book. Call from Corrado and lunch with him at Garnier. Worked on letter to Butler, which Miss J. typed. Alan brought ads. Chummie has asked him to a dinner & dance. Talk S.A.T. re new libraries W.G. Walked home. Dining Bristol: Corrado & on to Caravan

Delegates for Entertainment

Friday, June 3

[H.M. THE KING'S BIRTHDAY.

Office 9.30 Talk Nagy
about wrapper of "Missing
fr. his Home" Tel. Stacey re
[illegible] suggesting publishing that.
Worked revising letter to Butler
Lunch Garrick with
about Thing book
Roberts of Author's Society
Call Reynolds and talked
about Butler's letter
which he persuaded
me not to send today.
Talk Harkness fear his
mother is dying.
Talk S.A.T. advertising.
Charming dance at Lady [illegible]
last night. Walked home.
Dinner home. Read Grey Mercy

Saturday, June 4

Cold & grey. Office

9.30 Tel. Shepherd abt

wrapper for Mathers & Baker

Tel. Jefferson re Bathurst

& Bickford. Talk Miss

Stapleton re Mr Gandy's dept.

Paid some bills. W.P.C.

Hanley. Tel. Corrado.

Tel. for Newsham. Taylor for

books for bazaar.

Lunch Garrick. Gordon,

[illegible] Owen, Lyn Harding

Haircut. Met Corrado

Batti's Statue. Then to

Hampstead Heath. Tea Kenwood

& Home by Highgate. W.G.

Ancestor [illegible]. Home dinner

[illegible], W. G.

2nd S. after Trinity

9.15 train for Pulborough
Golf wi. J. lunch.
very cold. Lunch
Club. W. Helen Q.B.
declining invitation to Paris
Tea Pulborough Station
Hotel, walked a lone
at Horsham reading
Magazine about.
Home 8.15. Dinner
home. Read Guy Mannering.
W. G. sending message
to him mother to W.
to Maugh about windows.
W. Mrs Thorp &
Mabel Hopkins accepting
their invitations.

Monday, June 6

Office 9.30 after
Cold but bright.
sent notes to staff
talked and dictated a
bit, too tired to
accomplish much.
[illegible] Call fr. Callison.
Lunch Ath. Call
Thwing, New Univ. Club
Calls fr. Mrs. Ames.
Tried to clear desk
a bit. Tel. fr.
Blackadder. worked on
letter to Buttrick till 7.15
walked home. Dinner home
W. G. Read Magnolia Street

Tuesday, June 7

Office 9.30. Asked Conrado
to dinner. Dictated Miss C.
while Miss Y. worked on
Bertha letter. Talk Mr Bland
about his family. Lunch
Graham's, sat between
Gladdy Wyndham and
Pauline Spender Clay.
Back to office, Call
for Desmond MacCarthy.
Sidney & I went down
to Coward Chance to sign
letter of Administration for
Aunt E's estate. Called
Reynolds. Home worked a bit
on Bertha's letter. Walked home.
Conrado to dinner. Talked.
V. S. read Magnolia Street

Wednesday, June 8

Woke up w. slight sore throat, sore jaw, slty burning in eye. Generally depressed. Office 9 o'c. Talk SHH re printing Bülow IV. Talk Delgado re adv. Talk Arthur Cooke re corrections in Bülow so annoying ment. Worked on Berlin letter till 2 o'c. Dictated to Miss Y. about Bishop Knox on Oxford Movement. Mrs Bailey called with design for young man testament [illegible] the Hyde Park Corner. Dined Hotel C. Eiffel Tower

and m. F. Lang Wordsworth's works [illegible].

Thursday, June 9

Paul, Rene Blackie, Mr Thorpe, Bed after 12 o'c
Jane, Mother-in-law

Office 9.30. usual
signing of letters & talks
about current business.
Greeted Mrs Yates.
Called Roberts at Authors
Society about Thing.
Stopped to see Seymour at
Lit Ed. Club. Lunch
Garrick Taylor — old
scamp but ~~[illegible]~~ beauty,
Call for Lady Cynthia
after Alan had taken her
to Foyle luncheon.
Long call for Merry Mills
Signed letters. W. Memo. for
Counsel re N.Y. Walked home
arriving 8.10. Dinner home

Friday, June 10

very tired. Office 9.30
usual, instructions to
staff etc. Tel. fr.
Colorado. Dictated Mins
y. Lunch Rubinstein
Garrick and talked
about Jews.
Talk Blackadder in his
office. Went with Reynolds
to Gordon Brown's office
& secured his assent to
refuse to requisition the Mayor's
chair at a meeting on Monday
Back to office sent out
notices of G.S.G. and Miller.
Walked home. Dinner home.
W. G. Read a bit of Magnolia St.

Usual Saturday morning talk about N.Y. situation. Talk Mr. Hawkins. His mother was operated on last night and is doing well. Call for Conrado. Hurried lunch Garrick. Train to Westchester ~~and~~ and walk. Talk o the health restoration. Home W. G. Americas Open P.O. Dinner home. Spent evening quietly reading papers and reading Magnolia Street, drags in places but a sympathetic chronicle.

Sunday, June 12

[3rd S. after Trinity

Up 7 o'c and 9.5 to
Pulborough. Rested in
train. Hirst met me
and round with him
and young caddie in a
beret. Played badly.
Lunch Club. W.
Letters to Mr Tharp,
Eleanora, Mr Waight
Took Peppy a front / [illegible]
Walked to Pulborough
and 5.29 to Horsham
Tea and read Magnolia
Street. Had to stand up
to Sutton in crowded
fast train. Dinner home
W. 9. Read Magnolia St

Monday, June 13

Office 9.25 Answered letters. Directors meeting w/. Reynolds re refusal transfer of ~~Colombia~~ Major's shares. Found we were a week late. Reynolds left & we decided w/. Blackadder to postpone refusal. Took cousin Daisy lunch Freddie W., Esther Mrs Yorke, Pauline Spencer Churchill at Clearfield. Adelaide! Back to office adjourned meeting w/ Blackadder & decided to confirm refusal as R. had already reported to Nathan!

Cheque for pension came Blackie w/: message from Kaiser. Pony taken off. Worked from home for W. J.

Office 9.40. Dictated pretty steadily all the morning. Then discussed various things with Mr Delgado. Lunch Hamiltons. Lady H. ill & not down. Talked to Olive Rubens about Dutch Royalty. People were referring adversely to Mr Barker. Took back. Signed letters. Talk about wrappers etc w Ragg. Walked home. Lovely evening. Dinner. Read Asquith's letters to Mrs Harrison

Wednesday, June 15

Office 9.36. Arranged
papers, study, notes etc.
Dictated Miss G. Call from
H.V. Roe. Call from
R. Francis; wants a job.
Dictated more. Lunch
Gunter's. Dictated and
getting my desk reduced.
Call from Clemence &
[illegible] [illegible] about
their anthology.
Signed letters to W. Att.
about [illegible] to Radio
Station [illegible]. Call
Miss Rabin about St. [illegible]
letters. [illegible] confirmed [illegible]-
[illegible]. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

what he said was "Essential
[illegible] to [illegible] stock
Skimmed [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
letter to Mr. [illegible] "All Tenants [illegible]"!

Dined home, finished [illegible] [illegible]

Thursday, June 16

Office 9.45. Curious inflammation in my eyes no better after ten days. Mr Delgado out travelling in MacGibbon's place. Call f. young man fr. "David" ~~bro.~~ Mr. Diolahd. Talk [illegible] about moving chest of drawers. Lunch Mr Hannen Jury. Call fr. Ivor Thomas who wants me to see a young man who has published a private signed letter. Called Lord Bathurst about Bickford. Seemed a dull day. Called Slater Pascoe charming friendly little man, tells of founding garden in [illegible] walked home

home dinner W. Webster, Tom, Mrs Thring

Friday, June 17

Slept a bit - bad - but lunched & office as usual. Met [illegible], very depressed. Dictated. Call from Denis Lindsay & Denis Brealey with design for young man's [illegible]. [illegible] [illegible], Muddled lot between [illegible] & Lady Ridley. Back on bus with John [illegible]. Signed letters talked etc. No guests.

To Sibyl's cocktails; Lady Ravensdale Ruth [illegible] [illegible]: Dinner home. Read proof [illegible] [illegible]. [illegible] S. Victorian [illegible] [illegible]

Saturday, June 18

Talked G. as we dressed. Office 9.55 Tackled opened letters etc. Tel. Roberts of Authors society. Call David Lindsay. Dictated a bit. Left 12.45 walked home. Got lunch snack & talk about. Packed rested tea. Left about 1-5 for Chippenham Park lovely day & country arrived 7.10. Thorps Eshers. Charming country village and furniture, but hideous touches done up in 50's

Evening Thorps & Eshers — Tom?

Sunday, June 19

4th S. after Trinity

Chippenham Park, Cold raining. Sat about. Walk to the farm. Caught in rain — A. spoiled new suède shoes. Home changed, lunch. Talked to Mu. Shoot seat. Melons to tidy. Interested in Cartoons. Home tea. A. played & G. Harp sang. G & I long walk in woods. Mr & Mrs H. & A. Holland to dinner. Talked all fascinated by Gladys. Bed about 11.30.

Monday, June 20

Static bell ringing quarter
little sleep after 1 o'c,
Breakfast 9 o'c
and E. show left
about 9.30 & here about
10. o'c. Pleasant prog
O. sympathetic about my
fight w/ N.Y. Herald.
Unpacked a bit etc.
Office 12.30 Opened letters
Signed letters till 1.40
Lunch Garrick. Talk Dr.
Nicholls, Mrs Thomp. Office dict.
Talk Gst. J. & Palmer – Balch
Talk w/ Delgado letters &
James. Talk A.E.T. about N.Y.

walked home, practiced golf w/ Cameron, Dennis, Sharon, Earl, Reed, "Butch Hubbo" for Barclay Style.

Tuesday, June 21

Slept badly, very tired up late. Sty in my eye troublesome. Office 10.10. Opened letters & sent usual mails about office. W. Thierry dictating his [illegible] literature book, dictated etc. Lunch Burt, Alfred Thier. Party of 12, Californians, Lloyds Ambassadors, Oswald Burleighs. Called Eastabrooks about Rules Codifying. Cast for Michael [illegible], Count de la Bedoyere for jobs. Signed letters. Talk S.A.T.

Walked home. Sat in room. Dined in. Read letters from Browns & fell asleep on sofa.

Wednesday, June 22

Slept & felt a bit better. Office 9.50. Dictated Cuffe fr. Tel. & Thru Geog. Inst. W. Chandler Grey W. Horster. Sty pretty bad Lunch Ath. Circular Appts last chance & sister ale. Call fr. Stevens out of work Discussed Circulars w. Mr DelGado. Call from Baroness Budberg. Call A.E. Johnson, thanks Tunnicliffe to Arty for his gallery. Drew Penalty meeting. Walked home. Practiced a bit of guy. Dinner home. Got played bezique. Bed fairly early

Thursday, June 23

[H.R.H. PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY.

Up a bit late. Sty worse. Got black patch on way to office. 9.45 Talk Mr Dalgairns, Mr Tangeman. Dictated. Call fr. Macdonald Gill. Afternoon and worked till 4.0'c on Barclay's. Guy Mervyn having luncheon & tea there. Back to office. Call fr. Muggeridge. Call fr. L. Brereton. Took S.P.T. walked home. Practised Jazz in Even. Dinner [illegible]. Feel very tired. Sty in eye very bad.

Friday, June 24

[QUARTER DAY

Stye in eye began to discharge in night. Up 7.30 but slow dressing. Extraordinarily tired. Office 9.40. Dictated! Call fr. Madam Duvo's daughter nice & pretty. Call from Alfred about out-of-works Constituent. Call from Mr Charlton about Morgan Tally Ho what a fuss! w. Vera Barclay. Lunch Gatti. Dictated! Mr Delgado back from travelling more cheerful. Home before nap. Dine w. G. at Ingoldham's. They went on

to plays & I [illegible] [illegible] & then went to office by tube & got Tickets for No. 1 & [illegible] at [illegible] about 11.30

Saturday, June 25

After dinner talk and Bridge for F. Wyndham Jean

Up as usual & dressed
little quicker. Stye not gone
yet. Office 9.45 Butler
told me of discourtesy to
another who called with
Tel. Mr. Dexter about
taking Mr Delgado to
Pub! Aud. Talk Mr
Hawkins doing well.
Dictated Mrs C; read
Mais intro. Home bus.
Lunch Gladys Wyndham, J.
Irene, Mildred, Lady Maxse
Ursula. Home packed. Got
motored to Wallington. Gen
& Edward Wyndham, Irene, Frances
D'Arcy, J.m. to cottage.

Sunday, June 26

[5th S. after Trinity.

Wallington. Up fairly early & sat about talking most of morning then Tom Lake & I walked to foot of hill at back passing D'Arcy stately. David McKenna arrived during morning & played piano with Antoinette. Sat round in the afternoon doing x word. Tea. Lottie Timms and G. Frances. Tom & I went for walk round place in front. Nap. dinner and talked a bit more & played bridge.

Monday, June 27

Left Wallington 9.55 & motored to London bringing Frances. On to office. Dictated. Lunched Garrick. Tommie Beck who seems to know everyone; he was sitting at next table with Gerald Du Maurier & they drew me into talk. Dictated more. Calls fr. Ivor Thomas's bright young publishing aspirant. Call fr. Alfred's publisher on book Contract. Ev: Ruby Lindsay & walked home. Dinner here after sitting. G. took Bond's Girls to dancing

Vera & E. Bowen were [illegible]

Tuesday, June 28

Up early but didn't sleep well & tired again. Office 9.40 Dictated about Lady Gregory & other things. Mr Arbur Combes back & ~~took~~ had of Maise E. Lunch at Garrick E. Knoblock Looked at Lady Gregory's autobiography. Signed letters. Just leaving when Desmond called me. Copy for next out. Hair cut! Home bus. Sybil Lyttelton to dinner & talk

Wednesday, June 29

up as usual but tired
& reached office only at 9.40
Dictated letters to
Williamson & Tunnicliffe
& then had call from
Williamson, getting grey
and older looking but
still very sympathetic
& young in spirit. Lunch
with Thomas & his young
wife in his tiny flat.
Signed letters. Talked to
S.A.T. etc. G. taking Alan
to Wimbledon this afternoon.
Dick Harkness walked home
met G. & Alan returning
Dinner. Beets talked about bed

[illegible]

Thursday, June 30

News came across to-day [illegible] days in the train ½ hrs. Rainy day. Dictated. Call for Sir J. H. to Pub. Cl. with Alan sat next to Stanley Baldwin and opposite Dean Inge. Alan opposite young Guy Murray talked to him about Cambridge. Signed letters. Talk S.H. & G.St.J. about remittance from U.S.A. Sent. Elinor Mann was Nurse to Daisy Herald. Cable to Catharine comforting her about Paul's dear sister [illegible] home. Dinner [illegible] Alan

[illegible]

Friday, July 1

Mrs [illegible] [illegible] Mrs [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Mrs [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Office 9.40. Orders for
Wednesday given up.
Dictated Miss G.
Call from Lad Lyttelton
Lunch Nell, Ethel-
Monty, Crux. Taken to
Parlm. Speaker Clay, Lady
de Vesci, Edward & Gladdy.
Back to office
Signed letters. Call fr
Dalzburgh ws. May Eddy
proofs. W. Cathcart,
Milly, Ethel Fletcher on
death of Elizabeth Pratt
Mrs Harrison. Home bus.
Packed a few things. Long drive
8. Motored to [illegible]

Mrs [illegible]

Saturday, July 2

Everybody up latish.
G. mother. Alfreda, Nannie,
Christine arrived fr.
maid & S'hampton.
Alfreda takes pictures &
very sunburnt. Talked
and walked about
place. At lunch Alfreda
felt a little sick &
went to rest. I
motored to Golf Club
& played 18 holes w/
Webb. Very tired &
played golf very badly.
Tea Golf Club. Home by
car. Too tired to rest—

G. & two mothers [illegible] on at
dinner.
Read
Bruce
Lockhart
all
evening.
Bed.

Sunday, July 3

[6th S. after Trinity.

Amberley. Cloudy day.
Golf at 10 o'C.
Slept bad but played
a bit better. Practised
& went round a few
holes. Home for
luncheon. Talked wi.
family and then read
Bruce Lockhart in
cottage and later had a
snooze. Up for tea.
Went for a walk on
Wild Brooks with Jane
& her bicycle & Dom.
Threw sticks into water for
Dim & talked & then read
more Bruce Lockhart

Monday, July 4.

Hunbarley. Golf with
Ash & later West
and then Alfreds
joined us and had his
first lesson with West.
Home to lunch.
Talked & then I went
to see May C. about window
and his telephoning to
Dyack in Chichester. Said
Chancellor objected to Cypress.
Read a bit of Lockhart —
then went for walk on Down
w. G. Tam & Dom. Tam went
up to Newpond to fish for
newts w. worms. I went
home & had tea on lawn w. mother.
Packed & got another [illegible] to [illegible] Did [illegible] finished Lockhart

Tuesday, July 5

London. Office 10 o'c
very tired. Bewildering
mass of correspondence.
Felt unadjusted.
Opened letters etc. Dictated
Cate. Home late & lunched
w. G. & Rita. Back by
bus dropping Rita at
Bond Street. Call from
Lehmann about [illegible] then
Call from Bruce Lockhart
anxious about his
references to Moura Budberg
Signed letters etc. Home
late. Dinner Graham.
G. played bezique w. Dorothy

Wednesday, July 6

Felt a shade better. Dictated. Miss G. Lunch Garrick Timmie Beck. Upset because Spillman says our book case has been pretty hopeless & destroyed. Read book on history of Taxes by Willett first in America. Discussed salaries reduced mine & increased Mr DeGrado's & Mr Reynolds. Tel. Clement. Walk to Hyde Park Corner. Evening Standard Mrs Barney acquitted. Bus home. Chat Palmer & Boude girls & dinner & bridge

Thursday, July 7

To Garrow & had front teeth temporarily attended to. Office 11.0'c. W. McBride and Abt H. Dering. Tel. to Spillman about doing up book-case for which he want £35. Lunched Nichols Eiffel Tower bad & expensive lunch. Stevens called the A.M. & I wrote for him in answer to advis. Commander Venables called begging gave him 5/- he got in on strength of E. V. Lucas's name. Worked on Mss. Walked home. Eddy Morgan to dinner Received N.C.A.O.P. Report

Friday, July 8

Office 9.30 Answered
current letters and
then worked w. Shand
on Khetumam pugs
and Mais Notes.
Lunch G. at Mrs Higgins:
Sir Alan & Lady Johnston
Gen & May Spears
Lord Ancaster. Spears told
good French stories well,
and May turned talk fr. Mrs.
Thompson & Bywaters out of
Kitchen for G. G. went on
w. Ld. Ancaster to Lords.
worked on Turkic blocks &
Mais maps w. Hardcastle
w. Anne Mary J. Stone Tube

Dinner Whitehead, George W. & all the
Children. Or Li-
Col. & Fiddle
Fields -
her
Chester
Street
& Oliver
& [illegible]
Chesham
all after
the day
at Lords.
Go a
to Paradise.
I talked to Mrs Amstutting

Thomas & Dorothy Jenkins there. Sat to Cam. Olive & Marjorie Strachey W. Dwyer & baby

Saturday, July 9

[FIRE INSURANCE EXPIRES.

Tried to find ~~workman~~ who picked up my desk parcel papers. Office 9.45. Stuart telephoned that paper had been brought in. Talk Delgado Autumn List - Covers. Tel. John Adam about meeting. Saw Thomas Morning fluttered away. Home late. Lunch G. Packed w. Millie, Peg to Cabinet. Tea. Got 5.0c. train to Woodford. Met Grey Charteris on platform & w. him to Upper Basildon for Sunday w. Francis Meynell.

Sunday, July 10

[7th S. after Trinity.

Upper Boddington, Very hot night and all day. Sat on lawn looking at papers, Cross words and pictures. Played croquet. After luncheon naps. Felt very tired and slightly heat struck. Tea in drawing room. Ted Lygon Gregory Miles. Mrs Craigie others to dinner, Grimond, Mr & Mrs Benedict Ellams, Mr & Mrs Strachey, young man in Vivian? Bridge. I played vile Bed after midnight

Monday, July 11

Upper Boddington.
Another hot day. —
Harry & Dorothy motored
us back to London
in record time 2 hrs. but
his driving & smoothness of car
made it seem slower than our
Lincoln. Home telephone, G's
mother has had another attack
& Alfreds has bad case of
measles. Office. Lunch Garrick
Tea Garnett Ivor Thomas &
Guy Edwards
John Atkinson. Call from
Arthur Mills w. M.S. Home
tele. To Victoria w. G. who
went to Amberley by 7.20
Home dinner. Tel Aunt Mary

Tuesday, July 12

Tel. G. Jeffreys + meeting Staffers
Office 9.40 + Met Edward
on bus. Dictated odds
+ ends never get down
to important things.
Lunch Freda + Lord
Frank drove me back
to Bedford Street.
Talk about Gary paint
picture in Lady Cynthia's
book. Signed letters.
Tel. G. meeting later
Home late. dressed. Dine
wi. Rita Hay Moon St.
Frank Sargent step son of
Arthur Adams 17 yrs old. Then
Eliot, Ted Lyman bright 15
year old, + another boy Eliot
something or other. Talk
wi. Rita + Eleanor after. Long
day. to bed. Home 2. Tired. Slept 3.

Wednesday, July 13

Tel. G. reports better. Mother's trouble located in gall bladder. Office 9.40. Dictated. Had cash & shown over the museum lots & Tanks. Lunch Garrick Eliot & ~~Desmond~~ Alan. Showed Eliot books in the shop. Call fr Sir James Iles. Dictated. Signed letters. N.C.A.D.F. Walked home slowly very tired. Dressed and dinner home. Read Bermudas, St Helens Story

Thursday, July 14

Slept better long night
Tel. G. Alfreda better
Mother not so well
and will not get
nurse or another doctor in a
attack but I think he comes
every day. Office 9:40
letter fr. Bartlett Mercy
acknowledging my appoint-
ment S.H.I. I Dictated
Mr. G. Linda Garrick
Gen. Edwards. Signed letters
& Mack Leighton. Call from
Bruton. Called Aunt Mary
& Coleman. Storm during
Read Baumann's St Helena Gist
& U.G.

Friday, July 15

Office 9.40 Dictated a
certain amount. Desk
in Chaos. Call from
Lady Broughton with
Gorilla photographs.
Luncheon Hubsch Alt.
He likes "Kleine Mann" but
is not accepting. Call
from Harhagen. Call
from Rita. Mr. & T
leave tonight for holiday.
Desk in whole confusion
Called Rita, & Boys
who leave for Holland tonight
Rita to Paris tomorrow. Home
Dinner Tel G. read Beaman

Saturday, July 16

Office 9.40. Worked
on Mail & w'no that
with Helen Cooke.
Dictated Mrs Yates.
Call from Lady Ainslie
about her Autographs.
Talked with Missy & J.
G + Hilda about not leaving
the firm. Home late,
Lunch. G. packed. Hilda
not coming - message about
her not bringing a maid.
Ottavio brought G. up from
Country this A.M. & took us
to Lightwater & then returned to
Amberley. Eddey Kingsleybeck
Grahams, Jerry W.

Bath, rested. Tea, took a walk. After dinner talk & [illegible] & [illegible] 15' [illegible] Chapside

Sunday, July 17

[8th S. after Trinity.

[illegible]. Struggled w. Torquemada X word. All went for walk After luncheon talk Then lazy nap. Tea & Gerry & I played tennis; he beat me 6-1 Then Irene & Howell beat Gerry & me 6-4. Then Howell & I beat Gerry & Irene 6-1, 6-2. After tennis talk & watched G. Harry, Dorothy & Gerry playing bridge. G. won a little.

Tuesday 19th:

~~Monday, July 18~~

Call from Calmer partic formerly w. Carpenter: seems odd & suspicious. Call Shears next. What here to gain. Opic. 9.30. Dictaph. Ragg & Mrs Cook back. Thompson on holiday. W. Co. Hdtr. Dictated. Talk Ragg. Lunch Junior Charles Morgan, Duncan Swann. Call fr. Shand. Call from Waterland. Call from Marchant. Call from Blackadder. Depheering: Home Tea. Angela Morris: Two young Nurses girls calling on B.; talked about Eden, she bend as usual. Got 1 dance Book & M. Kalchen pins to Hartley

~~Tuesday, July 19~~ Wednesday 20th

dictated most of morning and got through a good deal. Lunch Holborn. had vestee set and enquired about steel at Flat. Back to office 3.30 signed letters. Call from Eliot-Stannard Booth Baker "w.r. M. novel, signed letters. Talk Miller about Mr Gruber and office organization. Hudson out. Home bus. G. home. Out for Nelly Eliot cocktail party

Dinner home. Read Arthur Mills's Dinner Commission after Jungle Bury by Kelly

Monday ~~Wednesday~~, July ~~20~~ 15th

Lightwater Goodbye to
Grahams who left first.
Then goodbye to Gafus &
Howells whom we left
behind. Motored to Putney
stopping at Petworth for 1
present for Alfreds.
4 leaf clover brooch, Elephant,
& little pink scarf.
Sat w. Alfreds rather blotchy
& nearly fat & two little
chickens to play with.
Talk mother. Stores went.
Call for. niece Dr Venables
Lunch Cuticia Margaret & G.
Talk matters. Up to see Faculty

motors on Chichester. Got motored back to lunch. Tea. Rest. Dinner. Mild. Chess. bridge. D/ played bridge with Horatia. Calm then

Thursday, July 21

[illegible]

up early. Office 9.30 Dictated all morning & got desk clearer than for months. Took Alka Mair. Call from Ivor Montagu re. Russian sample of translation. Took him to luncheon Athenaeum. Back to office stopping at Spillman & gave dollar for doing up book cake. Signed letters. Call Alvin Muriel & approved Lady Cynthia's wrapper. Home dinner. To Miracle wi.

Friday, July 22

Office 9:30. Letter from
Bertha repeating request
for registration. Dictated
Call for a Mr Crealy for
Ogden wr. Diary of the
Sec treat-; Dictated.
Call from Commander
Catherine Booth. Lunch
Garrick. Call from
Mr. Halliday ff.
Curtis Brown about Fallada
Talk Shand, DeGeado,
Shand. Another letter
from Bertha very depressing
Walked home. Dinner G.!
Talk. Beginn!

Saturday, July 23

Slept badly. Office 9.30. Call from Schaffer. Dictated. Talk w. Delgado, that young man is an angel. Tried to act humble about my silly reference to his story possibly seeming toward others ill, because it was so weak & silly. The things I had been nearly unkind. Lunch home & packed. 4.25 from Charing X. Chamber Guy Hacker Esq. Calcott Skeffington Smith & Mrs Stokes. Dining badly & I was & I [illegible] [illegible].

[illegible] experience [illegible] was [illegible]

Sunday, July 24

Bed 11.30

[9th S. after Trinity.

Hackers Edge: Rain but about noon + wound puzzle. Talk about [illegible] Dr. Hardy Bulls by Church Army + [illegible] by Co. who does lamp designs + woodwork. Out to Bri office m. Church to look at books. Lunch. Talked. Tried to get Paul Nash to let us come over. Cal. Conf. arranged to lecture at Cranbrook on L. of N. Tea. Emily I tried to eat. Dinner watched birds.

Monday, July 25

Up from Cranbrook. Offices about 11.45. Rain all day. Dictated. Talk Ragg always trying, Delgado always sympathetic. Lunch Lubbock. Sir Dalton so-&-so stock broker from 18. Signed letters etc. dictated treaty letter to Brother. Talk Mr Miller shall we let Carlin go & do work Mrs Tengrove for town. Walk home. Dinner G. who felt sad. Evening read Tchekhov's Don.

Tuesday, July 26

Office 9.40 Cleaned room & desk of old stuff finding very valuable amount left. Dictated. Call fr. Thomas Murphy, Irish publicist fr. Ken von Wostity. Dinner Guinet Newcomb. Talk Mr Ragg about the new [illegible] jacket fr. old friend. Call fr. Guy Edwards dinner & tutt. Talk Delgado Mais jacket. Walk home. Helen Spanola. Dinner home. Reagans. Listened to harpist playing in Stanhope Street.

Wednesday, July 27

Office 9.25 Talk
Mr. Ray etc. Tel.
Talk Vanderbilt.
Dictated a bit.
Board meeting &
luncheon w/.
Blackadder at
Constitutional Club.
Met Mr Howards
man of world broker
to. W. Ellis to Commission
for oaths to sign
affidavit. Dictated.
Home taxi. Ray Otis & his wife.
Thanks Putnam's niece so [illegible]
to tea. Charming young people.
Dinner home & with G. W.
Conversation - our walk something
re. [illegible] of) Alexander von Bunsen

Thursday, July 28

Congress Dance. Poetry file

Call fr. Dabyls Carpenter about filling cracks in woodwork before paint, Office 9:30. Talk Mrs Ray about Mars Photographs. Tel. Mars who liked idea of old print. Met Blackadder at Reynolds & discussed Palmer situation. Lunch Garrick Barrington. Told him a bit about N.Y. situation. Call from Hardcastle. Thought Delgado had a cold. Talk Ray Hm Tuke. Rested. Supper G. w. Bonds girls & [illegible]

Friday, July 29

Office 9.40. Last day before holidays. Cleared up desk fairly well. Lunch Garrick. Signed letters and finished up. Train home tea & packed and left for Amberley by car. Looked for boat on way & bought silhouette at Pulborough. Mother up & about. W. Yeends and Aunt Mary dinner and talked

Saturday, July 30

Unusually early start
for golf and
played surprisingly
Davis spending [illegible]
well. Alfreda and
G. met me and we
went back to lunch
together. After lunch
Alfreda brought out her
sweets as usual. I
talked to mother about
windows and called on
Mrs Mayle but saw only
Miss Mayle. Worked on
accounts etc & read
my Merriam. G. tea Viola
liked her with Mother.

After dinner called on Mrs Mayle & talked about windows.

Sunday, July 31

[10th S. after Trinity

Day started with rain
and cold for July.
Played [illegible] well.
G. & Alfreda met
me again. Luncheon
and talk. Worked
awhile and then
rested in morning room
Mrs Carr & Irene to
tea. G. & I & Alfreda
sat in our sitting
room and Alfreda &
I played games.
After dinner G. & I
played bezique, and
then talked to [illegible]
[illegible].

Monday, August 1

[ROYAL ACADEMY CLOSES.

[BANK HOLIDAY

Long morning of golf played my [illegible] fairly well. G. called for me has been upset by her mother into brain storm. ~~Do~~ Luncheon with Jamie. Alfreda & I went to Morley players at the Castle (with Pepper, Evelyn Mr Lechmere & Cox) Cricket Club. G. & I discussed not going to Triberg but her mother ~~[illegible]~~ urges us to go. Tea. watched production of

Cinema in village back street.

Parted. & Alfreda & Naomi brought me to [illegible] [illegible] in [illegible] [illegible] from train. Sandwiches in train. Home. W.G.

Tuesday, August 2

Mrs Fordham called
me in hot water &
lemon & orange.
Offi 9.30. Finished
both [illegible]. Calls
from Shand. Lunch
Finished service, Ath.
Closed. Called Am Ex
about Tribeg.
Call for young Hardcastle.
Dictated. Signed letters
etc. Walked home
depressed — sales news
means. Dressed &
dinner Rome's Restaurant
Craven Street. Read Muggeridge's
play [illegible] of spirit

Wednesday, August 3

Saw Dubyl & the painters
at house about doing
the hall. Office 9.30
Talk Carter about Mrs.
Wright who is able to
help us move. Dictated
most of morning. Talk
Pelicick about ventilation
for basement. Lunch
Garrick Taylor. Drum-
mond [illegible] home a
driving. Dictated and
nearly clearing desk.
Call from Bruce Rockhart
& talk with him re S A T
Signed letters. Walked home
Down Norfolk Street. Read

Thursday, August 4 3.92 1

Up late. Office 9.45. Talk S.N.H. Tel. Decker offer from W. Eckman to take him on, but he thinks he had better stay with undertakers. Dictated. Talk Delgado. Call from Val Thomas. Sorted things on desk. Long talk Mrs Carter about Bell's Racing Novel. Lunch Stern's Charlie & his waiters in fancy costume. Am. Ex. for tickets. Talk S.A.T. Ashby's flower book & Mr. Delgado Mail advertising. Walked home. Dance Rooney

Read. [illegible] Adventure from Stray

Friday, August 5

Tel. Dubats from G.
Office 10 o'c. Mr. Hackman
says his mother worse
not expected to live.
Kept prices ready. Clemmie's
book w. A.D. Tel fr.
Coleman. Dictated to Carr
for G. and lunch at
Ivy. Tel fr. Eleonora
Dictated to G. had his
teeth attended to by Dr Wydell
& went back to Amberley
w. Eleonora. Went over
last things w. S.A.T. & Alec
who missed his train to Bexhill
Dinner Stairs after have cut-
[illegible] packed. Tel. G.

Saturday, August 6

Finished packing. Office 9.50
Sent - Sent out for
last purchases. Dictated
to Miss G. letter to Clemmie
Call from Miss Murat, to be
married in September & going
to N.Z. Signed letters.
Met G. Victoria. Two
o'clock train to Folkestone
Luncheon on train.
Calm slightly foggy crossing
G. below. Looked at people
Jew & noble looking wife.
Peasant old woman & fair haired
boy. Pederastic young men. Forgot
tea. Bottle of wine & peaches in
Boulogne train. Started working

Rain & wind evening. Dinner in train

[illegible]

Sunday, August 7

[11th S. after Trinity

Bath 5 o'c grey morn
breakfast and walked
about town a bit.
Train about 6.30 for
Offenburg. Took room
in [illegible] station. G.
slept. I walked about
gardens, ponds, swan-
ken trees round town.
beer & pretzels & G.
chocolate. On to
Triberg. Arrived with
Sunday crowd of walkers
Long [illegible] looking about
and hotel in woods at
end. G. a bit disappointed
big luggage left behind

at Bath. G rested. I had luncheon
and walked about. Found woods
walks. Back to [illegible]. [illegible] perfect
waterfall near hotel.

going with me. After
dinner W. [illegible] & [illegible]

Monday, August 8

[illegible] lovely warm day
up late. Breakfast
in room. Agitated for
our bags. G. & I walk
to village & bought little
things, Tea pot & cup.
Back for lunch. Sat
in garden & G. began another
stitchery chair seat. Long
nap. Tea in room. G.
had gone out for milk &
cakes. Nearly finished
Brave New World. Good but
not enough worked out.
Long walk up past hay-
makers. Practiced around golf
club. Bags came & dressed
for dinner. Wrote diary. Finished
Brave
New
World.
Brilliant
but
un-
[illegible]
and
wrote
to
W. P. C.
& to
Raymond
Otis.

Tuesday, August 9

Turkey. Did not sleep well. Mustn't rest in the afternoon again. Another lovely day. Breakfast on balcony. To village bought stick & another little dictionary Ger.-Eng. & mates Eng.-Ger. G. & I walked up the Wasserfall way. Lunch & sat in garden. Then she rested & I walked up centre of sunny valley practising Ger. Back for tea. Began "Good Companions." walk w. G. to village and back fr. top of valley. Dine & listened to village concert - Theo's opera wonderful Weib & Faust; Played Beggar [illegible] "Good Companions"

Wednesday, August 10

Triberg. Hotel Schwarzwald
Slept better w. black silk
handkerchief over eyes for no
blind for East window, G. up
first. Breakfast on balcony
Down to town, bought English
papers & fruit; lemon squeezer
& stuff for bath, also toilet-paper
Then walked up along the other
waterfall, G. sat and read.
Lunch hotel & sat under red
umbrella in hot sunny garden
G. rested / I went out in bathing
suit w. trousers & shirt over
and wandered about to find
place for sun-bath. Up valley

[illegible] then up deeper waterfalls, reached
[illegible]
Got bath
no
& such
Basket
for the
G. walked
to Catholic
Church
in shade
did 7 times
got chilli
Baroque
windows.
afterwards

Engaged [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Thursday, August 11

Triberg. Slept heavily but woke feeling terribly weak probably due to chill. Breakfast & lunch on balcony. G. down to village. I read "Good Companions" Met G. on her return & walked to Lower Waterfall carrying rug on which I slept. She read for ~~awhile~~ awhile & then left me asleep. I ~~to~~ woke up alone & looked for her. Back to hotel upset & upset her. Dinner sat in hotel garden. Wellman [illegible] came & we walked talked & sat along waterfall & to old church. Back to the wi

Tetbury

[GROUSE SHOOTING BEGINS

Dance music went on. Couldn't get to sleep. Up early. Read "Good Companions" and the G.s walked up into woods & slept - & she read aloud. Hugo & brooded. Lunch & then I walked and talked wi' Waldemar Schottmüller. Back for tea wi' G. and then read "G.C." while she went out to old Catholic Church. W. dining o.p.e's Miss Cook Mrs Hawkins. Dressed & dinner & bizique. G. always wins.

Saturday, August 13

Slept better. Another hot day. G. & I set out in broiling sun & walked on mountain side across town. G. quite exhausted. I left her on seat and walked up towards top of Kronig Berg where broad motor roads crossed in warm shade. Home down thro' town & changed before G. got back along upper road. Lunch and walk to our bench facing Vogesen w. [illegible]. Home tea w. G. & read G.L. W. P.C., Ragg letter to Mr Hockney in [illegible]

[illegible] moonlight. After dinner P.C. to Mr Mel[illegible] & Ragg[illegible]

[12th S. after Trinity

Slept badly. Severe thunder storm in night - six farmers houses all about - struck by lightning. warm grey morning. G + I & G walk to Koppels Berg. After luncheon walk & talk w. Waldmeer and saw barns still burning struck last night. G. & I tea. Read G.E. found her walking in sunny side of valley. Washed tea things. Dinner. Read G.E. Bezique last - novel

Monday, August 15

Triberg. Slept better. G. & I into village to get money but found it was a Feier-tag Maria Himmel Fahrt - & bank & shops geschlossen. Walked up into woods fr. Station & back by Kapelle Berg. Lunch & sat in garden under trees. Walk - talk. Walked to town & back. Bought cakes. Tea. G. went - but I stayed behind & read G.C. Dinner and bezique, won at last - finished G.C. very exciting

Tuesday, August 16

Triberg. Blust-berg. weather perfect day. Walked down to village & cashed cheque bought lemons etc. Back to hotel & left parcels & walked along waterfall &c. – Beauchamp & his wife daughter of had been at luncheon! Walk w' Walden in their village where I bought a German novel to read & glean from "Good Companions". Storm came and walk w. G. along the Drive & Bazaar. Rest &

Wednesday, August 17

Ramsey: Woken by bells at 5-30. Up & dressed by 9-15. Paid bill. W. Diary. W. Mother thanking her for her birthday cheque. G & I down to village to see about trains home. Then she had her hair washed & I went up to Cronk Turm, 50 minutes from market & 30 minutes back. Lunch and then walked in. Walderan to our bench & talked & back by Lift Rd. Tea & notes. G. out for walk. Cocktail & wine &

Thursday, August 18

[illegible] another hot
day. Slept better.
Out with Waldmans
Cashed cheques & bought
post cards, & then
climbed hills above
railway which we kept
meeting to a cave in
mountain side. W. says it
is dangerous and showed
me stones that drop
from roof! Back luncheon
w. G. Sat in house garden
in shade. Then [illegible]
lunch w. Waldmans. Then
G. & then she went out to

[illegible]. She got back at 5.
Cocktail & vermouth. After dinner [illegible] played Bezique [illegible] & letters

Friday, August 19

Triberg

Another hot day. Slept in my room not to be disturbed by light — no blinds in G's room. She does not mind. Waldemar called at 11 and we went down to village got many postcards and bought tickets at Bahnhof and went by [illegible] Berg. [illegible] lunch at hotel [illegible] [illegible] 20 g.m. and lunch at [illegible] hotel. [illegible] came and we walked [illegible] [illegible] [illegible], G. [illegible] [illegible] 2 [illegible]. [illegible] Bergen [illegible]

Saturday, August 20

Hotter than ever. After breakfast started out G. and I down to village. She had a manicure which took an hour and was very bad. I got money at bank bought cigarettes and Fletcherized Bath Tablets. Then we got P.C.'s and little things for Alfreda. Back to lunch and rest. Evening, Draft of [illegible]. [illegible] I walk down Beach. [illegible] Zieg [illegible] last year. Then we G. packed. Walked [illegible] to

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[13th S. after Trinity,

Nightmare about [illegible] and G. woke morning at 5. up to speak to G. when I heard stirring. Moon over woods. Not so hot. up G. packed as I dressed breakfast 9.30 Paid tipped & said goodbye to all the nice hotel people. Waldmans to Bahn-hof with us in hotel automobile. Changed at Appenweier & Kehl where I changed my money. Strasburg motored 2 hours & tea G. felt - beat. Then on to Paris. That night St. James & Albany

Monday, August 22

Paris warm night but rain when we got up. To Caserne for Dixie. Then to Molyneux for [illegible] & [illegible] Draper. Ab [illegible] car to [illegible]. Just caught 12.10 train for Calais. Perfect crossing. I sat on deck reading Jimmie book Thomas [illegible] Bill then. Evans Lillie & Ottawa met us at Victoria. G. came on to house with me, then left for Aubrey. I tele-

Tuesday, August 23

31 Hyde Park Gardens. Woken by people working on street. Breakfast in morning room. Office 9.35 Mr. Fitch has developed some very serious and painful hip trouble. Talk A.T.T. N.Y. directors report for year shows loss of ½ million dollars. Ran through letters. Lunch Garrick. Dictated Miss Yates. Lit. notes Delgado. Long talk Miller. Walked home. Dinner [illegible] drawing room. Read copy for "Shall not [illegible]

Tel. [illegible]

Wednesday, August 24

Read a bit of the Quest in German which gave extraordinary ease. Office 9.30. (Before leaving home settled papers for day nicely) Dictated & wrote some long letter with which I was pleased. Came fr Quebec Rowntree about the place where I did not recommend him or us. dictation. Lunch Hutton & on to Dominion about Mrs Cook's hotel. W. Ruth Draper about Lauro de Bosis. Signed letters walked home. Dinner Park Gate hotel. Talk Mrs Campbell

[illegible] [illegible] German & Romanism. Took

Thursday, August 25

Tel. fr. Ruth Draper will come to luncheon. Office 9.50. Dictated letters — a good many interruptions etc. Alex Delgado and I waited a long time for Ruth & saw many notabilities. When she came we had a delightful time & she talked very freely about Lauro de Bosis. Rachel MacCarthy & David Cecil at next table just engaged. Showed Ruth sample of binding for her translation of L's Icarus Oxford Press

unexpectedly has to St Pauls to see Ellen Terry's Memorial. Agnes letter etc. walked home Dunn house Rose Bells were rung at 9.

Friday, August 26

Tired. Up late.
Packed shawl strap.
Office in taxi.
Mack Delgado re
Lady Cynthia, talk
Rags, [illegible] etc.
Call fr. "Miss Mamie
[illegible] Endless
Calls fr. "[illegible].
Lunch Gatti. Dressed
Mrs Y. Signed letters
Goodbye to Mrs Y. leaving
to be married. 5 o'c train
Amberley. Colonel & Mrs.
Anne Powell, Mr. [illegible].
Dinner. [illegible] other [illegible]
& 1 ~~[illegible]~~ read Bell's [illegible] [illegible]

Saturday, August 27

Breakfasting up latish but the dance was: Jane, Anne, & Don. Adam tries washing my hair in branch & dripping into lagoon! After I lunched nap then tea & Bert came over for me. He had headache so I played with Jake - my baby. Dinner here. Evening played bridge with Walter against Calum & Gladys who beat us frightfully. Calum said he had never had such cards

Sunday, August 28

[14th S. after Trinity

Up late. Church forgot purse and so put [illegible] in plate. Warren Barrett & Coleman's friend Mr Cobb to luncheon. Then West came over for me and I played with him 2-5 played better. Little Joe came over for me and I gave [illegible] jazz lemonade & ice. Sang hymns. After dinner we talked about Chauncey then played bridge again & mother & I long [illegible] letters.

Monday, August 29

Brekker. G. had toothache in the night. Left 9.25 fr Sevenoaks to London Bridge.
Call from Capper
Office 11.30. Read letters including a note in committee on from Minister. Lunch for Garrick: Pip, who has been seeing Ruth Draper. Call fr. Chambers's. Call fr. Mr Ferris. Signed letters. Talk Miller re N.J. Hair cut. Walk to Bond Street. Bus to Park Lane Hotel for dinner. W. Sibyl, Rita, Dunc Corinna. Tel. G.

Tuesday, August 30

Rain in the night and
drizzle in the morning. Up 8.
[illegible] Office 9.40.
Talk Adv. Delgado. Dictated
Call from Col. Ashton and
Lady Broughton. Lunch Garrick
Drummond & Raymond. Ordered
fine black & grey check suit
Watson. Back to office
Dictated signed letters
etc. Tea with Conte
& Comtesse de Chambrun
at Barclay Sq. Leslie
Hobson & his wife fr.
Hereford. Walked home.
Dinner home 7.30 Red Tikki
Don. Tel. 9. Beale at

Wednesday, August 31

Dentist Garrow 9.30
Doubt if he is best-
man. Office car for
Montzellas. Dictated.
Lunch Stalbow &
ordered. Mr C's water
Diversions. Signed
letters. Read Strike cop.
Talk Ragg about Elmwyth.
There's book on Elizabeth
Car for Bruce Lockhart
Walk to Piccadilly Circus &
home bus. Dinner home.
Talk Mr Cooper about his
holiday & about cooking vegetables
Read German. Tel. fr G.

Teeth cleaning bec. gums [illegible]

Thursday, September 1

PARTRIDGE SHOOTING BEGINS.

Feeling a bit tired. Dressed slowly up. Got to office 10 o'c. Dictated Miss C. Talk Mr Cagg Mr Delgado & then dictated again. Lunch Lancaster Dynes Cons Montgelas. Met had Myers & his wife. Signed letters worked on story for Strand of Guy Mundy. Talk Miller about Stocking Walked home very fast leaving card on Marcel's Parish at Stafford. Quite headache I got tea. Stops [illegible] reduce living feeling. Dinner steamed vegetables [illegible] rice. Starting

[illegible] was written for [illegible]

[illegible]

Friday, September 2

Felt a little less tired
Dentist 9.30 Garrod)
Consultation wi. Northcroft
Office 11 o'c. Call from
Dr Kahle about Columbus
map reproduced on Turkish
map of 1512 recommended
by Denison Ross.
Lunch ~~Garrick~~ Athen. wi.
Harry Stevens of Tikchi
Dor who returned to
office for talk. Talk
Edmund about Bruce Lockhart
memoirs. 5 o'c train to
Amberley. Mrs Mandel, Coleman
Aunt Mary &. Talk G. Dinner.
talk. others talked. which

Coleman & Mrs Mandel, played bridge
against
G. & me.
We lost
by 8
points
Bad
play
in
bungled
scores.

Saturday, September 3

Dunbeath

Rainy morning. Up late. Sat in our room. G. wrote and I wrote long letter to Millie. Annie & Alfred played about. Annie Harris came to lunch to fetch her. After lunch rain continued to 4 ~~or the~~ ~~Harding~~ Germany. Then cleared and I had luncheon tea & then went to Club and played golf with Ashe. Alfred came for me in car & I gave him a foggy lunch. Home dinner. Lucy bridge. G. & I beat & more occur then G. & I made it all up.

[15th S. after Trinity.

Ombersley. Golf with Ruth, and Vicar to lunch at home. After lunch Ruth and [illegible] I read German and had a nap and w. Mrs [illegible]. After tea G & I listened to Gramophone [illegible] Dances. Then G. [illegible] Alfreds & I on [illegible] ws. [illegible] Dom. Hymns & G. got out before Hymn to Albert [illegible] Dinner & Brandy. — a [illegible] feast & played billiards & G. & I [illegible]. Goodbye to Aunt Mary

Monday, September 5

Amberley. Left about
9. Goodbye to Calimans.
Read German in train
to London Bridge & on by
tube. Talked German
wi. Fr. Kuen [illegible] Goodbye
to Maggie. Aft-
Russell to [illegible].
Talk w/ Mrs Delgado.
Dinner German Lesson.
Dentist & left top
plate. Home got bridge
& opened Papers & copy for
another. Office opened letters
etc. Rain, bus to Trafalgar
Sq. Dinner. Talk Mrs Cooper
vegetables. Read German till 9.

Tuesday, September 6

Up latish. Office
10 o'c. Dictated Miss C.
Called Sands & Johnson
re Richard Bell.
Director's meeting with
Blackadder. Lunch
Ehrenstein. Dentist
& got back my upper
plate. Mr Cook
has received his water
& valance bracket &
seems pleased. Took Delgado
stock & Lady Cynthia.
Walk to Bond Street
Dined home talk Mrs Cooper
Read Pearsall Smith. Shakespeare
in Life & Letters. Bed 9.

Wednesday, September 7

up late Office after
10 o'C. Taft fr. Staff -
Davis - Bruce Lockhart
recommended for November
book society. / Talk Ott
Delgado, Miller re Ny. debt
Lardiaux giving him advice
He wants to write. Talk
Taylor, seems pretty prosaic.
Talk Gunther & Heustin
Bryant Grant for Days.
Lunch Gatti. / Started
dictating to Miss Cook lot
& worked till 7 o'c. Home
taxi. Dinner without
dressing. Read German. Tel. G
Packard.

Thursday, September 8

Taxi to office wi: luggage. Dictated Mr Arber Cooke & Miss Cook. Signed letters. 1:40 train to Amberley for London Bridge. Packed. Tea Mother now will be all alone. Motored w. G. Alfreda, & Nanie to Portsmouth. Met Pat on boat and all to Ryde. Eleanor met us bring'g luggage marked B.L. Sherry at Fishbourne. Dinner [illegible]. First time Big walk before. Dinner & bed to 12 o'c.

Friday, September 9

up latish. Day of
rain and shine. P., E.
& I to Osbornes and
played Three-Somes. I
played badly as usual
but enjoyed it. Back
to [illegible] for lunch.
Afternoon I read a
bit of German, read
Times & had a little
nap in chair. Alfreda
went in bathing tw-
ice. After tea Gal & I
practiced approach shots
then motored to Rye.
After dinner Gramophone

Saturday, September 10

Fishtown
Pat, Eleanor & I
played golf at Osborne
Cloudy, cold & some
rain. Sweet Corn
for luncheon. Arranged
clothes in drawers.
Nap in chair, others
up stairs. After
tea G. & E. went for
walk & Pat & I
motored to W. Ogd
and I bought bananas
and plums. Pat &
I practiced approach
shots. G. & I tonic water
Dinner and Gramophone

Sunday, September 11

[16th S. after Trinity.

Windy and rainy morning. After sitting about G., E. Pat & I motored to Appuldurcombe. Interesting as Ruin: like house falling into ruin. Think deserted about 1825. Porphyry Column in hall. Some nice Columns fireplaces with Adam additions. Home Lunch. Nap, early tea. Pat not feeling well but we played Jacq. I was worse than ever. Dinner & Pat to bed early. Talked about Colman & Rattigan

Finished Caravans [illegible] for [illegible]

Monday, September 12

Pat stayed in bed.
Cold threatening morning.
Went to Golf club
Lal & I played
several holes with
Mat carrying my clubs
while G. I. & Eleanore
walked in Park.
Pat still in bed for
luncheon. Afternoon
nap in chair. Then
after tea G. E. & I to
Jones where we saw
some Rigney prints of Pompeii
designs. Pat down for
dinner, but to bed early

Tuesday, September 13

Telephoned to Office in reply to Sydney telegram. Agreed to give N.Z. Products Credit for a month. Tel Hamptons as offering to cut for 20 guineas house. Golf. a/18 holes w. K.M.A. (and Eleanors and Pat - ~~playing twosome 8t~~ ~~& G. [illegible]~~) Lost by 4 holes. Tel. Hamptons Big bath before accepted 11 guineas for frame lunch. Off the [illegible] from Lady May Yo yo w. K.M.A. & A.Y. [illegible] Nap upstairs. Tea & Pat & I practiced Golf. Gin & tonic. After dinner Music on Gramophone

Wednesday, September 14

Up late. Lovely day.
Pat & E to Osborne. Lo
& C.M.H. and I followed
I had Edward Pierse to
caddy for me. C.M.H.
beat me by 4 holes
giving me ½ stroke.
Went bathed swimming
round boat. After
lunch talked & then
tried to sleep but Alfred
called me & then Pat
& I went to Alum Bay
for tea & coloured sand.
Bought book at Newport
for A. shepard. Pat & I had
our gin & tonic. Felt -
almost ill with fatigue. After
dinner talked. [illegible]

Thursday, September 15

Felt very lame after bathing yesterday. Long day started with a mist. Proposed to G. that we stay on at Amberley to which she more or less agreed protest. To Osborne w. R. M. A. & G. who walked while we played golf. I won 3 up with ½ a stroke from R.M.A. Back to lunch. Alfreda had made quite nice ornaments of Blue Bay Sand. Long rest after lunch. Tea & stayed in reading. After dinner talked & gramophone

Friday, September 16

Fishbourne. Pat a bit
under weather again
& his sister also, so
Eleanor & I played golf
I was very keen & Stephen
not so easy to play with.
Back to lunch. Pat
off to Bordon camp to
see his old regiment
J. Alfords, Nannie & I
then to Amberley 5 o'c
boat from Ryde. Tea
Portsmouth. Mother
seemed a bit older &
quiet. Dinner, we then
& talked all a bit con-
strained. Bed early

Saturday, September 17

Gin & tonic water - Dance - Lake - Paris - [illegible] - [illegible] - Gypsies - [illegible] - [illegible]

Bad night - w. rheumatism worse. Up late and spent a good deal of morning working on Tomahawk w. Jan. It spoilt & all work wasted. Passage w. Mother about our winter plans, said I wouldn't discuss things with her. After lunch rested. Then played golf w. Street in spite of pain. Picked up G. [illegible] Meguelli, Peter E. arrived about 7 o'c

Sunday, September 18

[17th S. after Trinity

Amberley. Rheumatic pains in back better but worse in arms. Breakfast late in Cottage. G. & K/s to walk on downs. Pat & I sat in shed & I made a tomahawk for Alfieda. After luncheon all rested. Rain cleared about 4 oc when Pat & I went to golf club & played 15 holes with Heck who gave Pat stroke a hole & was beaten by one. Back for end of hymns! Evening talk & bridge. Pat better [illegible]

Monday, September 19

Amberley. G. & E. talking in dining room when I came in to breakfast. Let. Annoyed I didn't like way E. was talking about others. Pat & I up to London fr. Arundel. G. & Jan going to Lt. hampton. E. leaving for Fishbourne this A.M. Reached office 12.30. Talk Delgado Kegg & S.H.T. about stop action in Stock. Lunch Garrick. Dictated Miss C. Talk G.S.G. who leaves tomorrow for Harrogate. Talk O.H.T. Home in taxi w. bags. Unpacked. Dinner. Read Sermons.

Tuesday, September 20

Office latish. Good wishes fr. Mr Delgado for my birthday. Call from Mr Adams. Mr Grubb off today to Harrogate. Dictated Miss Cook. Home luncheon & presents from G & Tam who came up in car. Signed letters. Call from Lady [redacted]. Clerk here waiting & worked in back-room w. her & Delgado. Call fr. Baroness Budberg. Home late goodbye to G. & Tam & walk them to car across Park. Dinner Read Services. Call G. by

Wednesday, September 21

To bed early last night
felt better. Office 9.50
Went over affts. w. Delgado
S.H.T. Call fr. T. E. Shaw
'Lawrence of Arabia.' Talk [illegible]
Dictated Min. C. Call fr. Pat
Day & lunch Garrick w. him.
Talk Harold Nicolson. Pat talked
w Whigham. Sold dental bridge
to Jones for 10/: Dictated
signed letters. Talk
Delgado about misprint
in Silver Slip. N.C.H.
D.P. Walked across St. J. Pk
bus fr. Oxford Street. Late
didn't dress. Dined w.

Thursday, September 22

Up. Letters. Tel. Sybil's office about Carpets. Office 9.50. Dictated [illegible] fr. Sir James Marchant re Foreign Office now ready, also Pref. of Brummell Book. Dictated Lunch Club. Dep. 90 chap. Called Hamptons re house Portraits & Mason & Ridgewell for batting shorts. Signed letters, dictated, cases from Bisset Cockburn. Home for Tottenham Court Road. Dinner. Read James. Tel: F. who is nicely. Essays from the Forty Dancers

Friday, September 23

Up latish. Carpet & ledgers arrived. Office 10.10. Dictated. Talk with RT et ~~als~~ et al. Discussed Barclay wrapper with Ragg. Telegram to Emily St Emmet on birth of daughter. As far as Mucklows wi: Alan talking of Jean better & Cunnings. Bought that figure of young punt Denmark Street. Lunch [illegible] talk Harry & Eddie about letting house. W [illegible]. Tel. to Victoria & was told train left at 4.35 hurried in Taxi

[illegible] train left at 5 o'c. [illegible] 6.30 Taxi [illegible] Dennis [illegible] evening talk. Playfellows — [illegible] Ended in a dining pretty bad.

Looked at Eastern Rugs

Saturday, September 24

& pricing, buy a good deal

Awakening up late.
Raining morning. G.
wrote and I read Rhys
Davies's "Red Earth" for
obscenity. Lunch, talk
and rest. Early tea
& to golf. Webb
calling for me at
3.30 p. Played pretty
badly with very lame
fore-arm. Gin & tonic
water with Frank Birch
who had arrived with
Ray. Dinner & evening
pretty bad. G. & I rather
aloof but no one seemed to
notice

Sunday, September 25

[18th S. after Trinity.

Up late morning
Rain and sun. Read
Red Earth & G. wrote
I had talked to her
a little about her
plays but I always
upset her. After
lunch Ray told story
of her day Flora
brave & charming
and G. liked her.
Brahms left & I
had tea and went to
Golf. I played better but
off his game. Ray again
Dinner & talked to Ryks &
Emma about her work

Greatly quiet & excited him.
& I thought G. [illegible] the book

Monday, September 26

Up 7.30. 9.28
Letters from Arnolds
Read Rhys Davies in
the train. Looked
at letters. Talk
Ragg S.A.T. Delgado
T & Bruce Lockhart
& Cabled W. N.
Lunch Garrick Leslie
Banks. To Fortnum
& Mason & bought
dark red bathing shorts
Dictated Miss C. a summons
for the non-essential.
Tel. Desmond. Walked
home. Tried on bathing shorts
6 p.m. no good. Lillywhites

quite good except for embroidered
diving girl! Dined
in dining room.
Read [illegible]

[illegible] Worked on desk

Tuesday, September 27

Slept none too well
after going to bed too
late. Office 10 o'c.
Got letters in. Delgado
Dictated mem Court
Lunch Eliot Taylor and
his son who will never
set the Thames on fire.
Dictated. Call for George
West. Worked Delgado
on Opera Circular.
Long talk Mr Miller
Walked home. G. A. & Nan
just arrived. Engaged G.
in talk about letting house.
She was hardly ready for
it - but took it in good

Wednesday, September 28

Slept in front room
and kept awake
by noise. Up 8 o'c
Go down to breakfast
Office 10 o'c. W. Charles
Grey. Talk various
members of staff
Call for Clocks and
paid him for repairing
both clocks. To Mueller
about framing Pompeian
prints + Barclay supp
to Folsom + Mason —
Changed bathing trunks for
Grey pair one! Lunch Att.
Called Hampton + signed
agreement to lease

Talk Delgado, Miss Porter

Talk Excellent about his writing. Tell Roger + Forster [illegible]. Cecil fr. [illegible] [illegible] Mueller [illegible] [illegible] Centura Tried for [illegible] [illegible] over. but Antonio [illegible]

Thursday, September 29

[QUARTER DAY.

Up early. Office 9.35
Checked accounts etc.
Bank statements pasted loose
leaf in book and germane details
Dictated Mrs Cooke,
& got through etc. Quite
a lot. Lunched
Gros. Cres. Mews. Dan Cecil
Dewdney. Call Burton
Park about Bruce Lockhart
Watson & tried on suit.
Tea at Georgie's. Office.
Call from Geoffrey Dudley
re Versailles Synd letter.
Home late. G. has been looking
at houses. Also Gladdie regarding
mentioning Barbara Freeburger

Friday, September 30

Lovely sunny day
Talked G. about Friday
Times. Arranged w. Stuart to
take books to Amberley
this P.M. Dictated Mr
Park Talk. Mr Ragg and
Mr Ashcroft who seems
to be getting into unsympathetic
state of mind. Dictated Mr C.
Talk Mr. Archer Cooke about
hanging bell. Lunch at Garrick
Duckworth Taylor talked of
Norman Forbes Robertson
who was killed in a motor
accident this week.
Dictated signed letters.
Home & to Amberley by car
w. Dr. taking pills and [illegible] Philosophy all over us. Dinner w. [illegible]. [illegible] talked [illegible] [illegible]

[PHEASANT SHOOTING BEGINS.

Amberley up late first among books in studio & tutors room. Mayler to luncheon. Golf in. Ashe and I played 18 holes better than ever before. Home late picking up G. walking back from Viola's. Dined and talked in the evening my mother-in-law complaining jokingly that we didn't talk to her enough after G. had said that she wanted to be alone with her.

Sunday, October 2

[SUMMER TIME ENDS [19th S. after Trinity

Sore throat in the night. Up late but ever early because of change of time. To Church w. Walter & G. Called on Evelyn Furnival to congratulate re birth of Pamela Alice Clare. Could see her as she was in her bath. To lunch Evelyn's G did not go as her mother wanted her to stay with her. Miss Burkhart & young Harriet Eskin. Golf Greensome w. Kurt. Home rested

Harvest Festival in church

Monday, October 3

Kimberley Called in
Church. Tipped servant
Back to London from
Pulborough. 10.46 [illegible].
Slept in train. Home
dressed. Lunch Garrick
House & spoke to
Richard Bell. Norman
Forbes Robertson. Maurice
Davis. Saw Lord Rosely.
Back to Office. Calls
from Aubrey Prowse
Barnes Lockhart,
Premises. Home to tea.
Saw Jane & went to bed.
Evening worked on accounts

Tuesday, October 4

Cold settled into chest — with stinging soreness. Stayed in bed reading papers & Ms on Foreign office. Tel. to office, & other matters up from Amberley.
Nap in the afternoon & prepared [illegible] Q. out — looking at houses. Talked a bit to Tim standing in doorway — a three days or three weeks cold. Friars balsam before going to sleep.

Wednesday, October 5

Cold better & fair gone.
Miss Cook came
in the morning and
I dictated quite a
lot. Talked to
office by telephone
Walther about Ludwig's
Versailles.
J. out to Amelia with
Helen Spinola. I rested
after lunch & she rested
when she came in. Then
Biddle came to see her after
all these years with a splendid
story about Detroit. She
gave him a pound. The Pens
called. I signed letters from

Typed [illegible] things office
before & after dinner.

Thursday, October 6

Felt better. Up late
& long talks to office
as soon as I could
get into front room.
Miss Cook came after
lunch & I dictated till lunch.
Dorothy to lunch &
Mother back from
Trevin to stay. Dorothy
& G. to Anne Chastin's
wedding. Rosalind
Cubitt to tea w/. After
I rested & had tea alone
G. out to see house. Talk
Mother. Signed letters for
office. Talk Mother & G.

They went to Noel Cowards "Words & Music". I read [illegible] [illegible] "[illegible]"

Friday, October 7

Not feeling well enough to get up but dressed about noon and stayed in bed. Moved back into front room & dictated to Mrs Cook. Tom looked in on way to lunch, and just after feeling depressed which he attributed to glands. Cheered him up a bit; then both rested. After tea D. Barrett & she went to see Freyberg's house coming back enthusiastic. Anne Brooke to tea with her & her mother. Signed letters from office.

Saturday, October 8

Slept badly thinking about our plans. Chest full of phlegm. Shaved & bath early. Telephoned to Doc & hirsh. In morning room about Silver Slip cloth. Then tel. to office told Miss Cook not to come & cancelled engagement with Alex for Tuesday lunch. Felt much worse & dozed all morning. G. sat with me for a time; her mother staying till tomorrow. G. overwhelmed w. tenderness for her. Rested. Tea.

Read Biff's Grand West me construction. Tuck. Temp 100.5° at 5 & after dinner.

Sunday, October 9

[20th S. after Trinity

Perhaps a trifle better
but still feeling very
well. Fanny decided
not to go to Tewin
I rested and did little
or no work. Rested
in the afternoon.
After tea G's mother
sat with us. She
has been a little upset
but has indomitable
surmounted it. Frail
but full of will-power.
Left w. Christine for Stow
Birdie Endlow called before
luncheon. Talk w. G.
after she went to

the [illegible] Deal [illegible] Plan. Talk developed into something of a [illegible]

Monday, October 10

Day of Atonement.

Telephoned a good deal to office after talk w. G- about houses & conclusion that we would take good house & continue our way of living till March then she & A. would go to Florence. She went out to look at houses & liked Kenly Heights in Cumberland Pl. Had Mrs Cook up and sketched all afternoon. Telephoned to office, Alfreda & G sat in my room after tea & G. told us about Kenly Heights & about

Evening read my sermon [illegible] Came

Jewish cases [illegible] sheets

Tuesday, October 11

H. D's birthday 1909

Tel. Office. Tel. Ludwig
Felt pretty ill. talk Mrs C. D.
Slept before luncheon.
After luncheon Miss
Quick came up & I
kept him in library
while I dressed wrote 3
letters. then dictated.
Bruce Lockhart's photographer
came from Battersea Park
& sent Mr Cork back
with our selection to
Park. Took in Evening
Seen Dr. G. felt
feverish & dr. concerned.
Took T at 7 [illegible] 100°.
Eleanor arrived before
lunch. Bed early.

[illegible] seems not to [illegible] backward

a wedding present.

Wednesday, October 12

Slept well but had very heavy sweats & coughing spells. Called G. [illegible] in morning. Tel to AT, Rags, Alan. Talk G & E. G. went off to see 35 Gt Cum Pl after her mother came back enthusiastic. After lunch Lady Wright telephoned inclined to accept other offer. G. very sad. Told her to [illegible] £9.9.0 & we got it. Miss Cook up after lunch. Pictures. Goodbye to Mother. G. off to Rachel MacC's party. Bilbeam Park Photographers

Offer. G. told me about party. Rachel [illegible] lunch [illegible] head [illegible] a [illegible] relieve [illegible] pain [illegible] pleased [illegible] Temp 102° Dr [illegible] came at 9 o'c – gave me [illegible] Creechspeer for

Thursday, October 13

[FIRE INSURANCE EXPIRES.

Felt very weak tried to
simplify bills etc. Moved
into G's room & his office.
Kennedys came & then
worked out Bruce Lockhart
wrapper. Lovely sunny day.
Seemed to feel better.
Gladdy lunched here but in
& was excited to hear
about the Rovers. Their
luncheon was very pleasant w.
Frances Helen Ursula & Eleanor
then Antoinette came in from
wedding David Cecil & Rachel MacC.
Mr Cook came & I dictated letter
to Sir F. Whyte. G. had Bridge
w. Gladdy, Mrs Powell & D. Yorke

Friday, October 14

Evening: [illegible] came

Perspired only once in
night. Felt better.
G. went to Sir F. Wisner:
Cheque & my letter. I
tel. to insurance people &
to him & his bank. Sibyl
Tennyson came up & I
saw & talked about Silver
Stag-biding etc al. Nice to see
him. Felt gouged w.
Dr's Brand Extract of
beef and necessarily ill.
G. I home from lunch at
Antoinette's for tea. I lay
quiet all afternoon & evening
Dozing. Dr found me worse

Saturday, October 15

Up to wash & shave late after waiting for specimen bottle. Lovely sunny morning weighed in G's bathroom 10 st 12. Dozed most of morning, merely telephoning once to S.A.T. E home playing golf. Nan coming, G. & Nanny & [illegible] out to Peter Robinsons for winter coat. Dozed most of afternoon. Jan dressed up as nurse at tea time. Doctor called temp: 100.2 Said 1 month. Bring up phlegm so coughed more and brought up blood. Took Luding. Took E.

back from golf. After dinner read. Took [illegible].

Sunday, October 16

[21st S. after Trinity.

Usual night - change pyjamas twice. Up late + into Front room G. went downstairs. I decided would like Macleod gilt lettering as 2nd string for B. Backchart jacket. After luncheon G. to concert. Telephoned to Gill at West Wittering but couldn't get him. Ivor in London. Rested till tea. Frida came to tea with G. Then G. sat with me. We talked of [illegible] and his chance for men.

After dinner read Trek. Blew. Nancy — Penn — Chuff

Monday, October 17

16th Anniversary Wedding day.
Tel. Macdonald Gill. Tel
Office. Tel fr. Kermode &
Call in. Bertram Park
Portrait of Bruce Lockhart
worked up in parts.
Nap before luncheon
and again after luncheon
after talking & reading
exhibits. G. to see Ludwig's
& may have supper party
after Versailles 1st night
Doctor called after Tea
Specimen binding case of
Silver Ships. After dinner finished
Jack Bilbo (no good). Usual
business before bed.

Slept late. Spent most of morning telephoning about party for Ludwig tomorrow night. Also tel. office about silver, sledg etc. Rested before & after lunch. Before tea tel. fr De Marny who wants to give a party for Ludwig after play/so asks us to call off ours & have Gladys go to his. G. & I agreed. Call from Helen & talk about "Biff" etc. Finished Ludwig's Versailles. Viola to dinner with G. Accounts etc.

Nannie's first on Quimby as usual

No t sneezing or changing pyjamas. Breakfast in bed but dressed soon after and then after a bit of telephoning down to smoking room & and received Calls from W B Yeats & Lady Gregory's executor. Gave Yeats sherry which I drank before too. He agrees to Ethel Colburn Mayne as executor. Luncheon up in my room Then call for Mi Coote & dictated. To bed for rest, up for tea & call for doctor.

Thursday, October 20

Up late & spent
morning telephoning. Fear
Lindburgs Versailles a failure
Bruce Lockhart's book accepted
by book society in America
Tel office & Kennedy about
Jacket et al, et al. the Anderson contract came
Willie to luncheon with G. &
I went down stairs for first
time. She looks older &
more like her family but in
better health. Rested after
luncheon. Up for tea.
G out at bridge. worked
on accounts etc; dining up
in G's room. Read More in Dearfi

Friday, October 21

Breakfast in bed but down soon after ten and telephoned to office for over an hour, explaining encouraging and directing Miss Cook & Mr Asher Cook. both have colds as Miss Staples [illegible] up for dictating and stopping to telephone. No dictating [illegible] pid. I must do [illegible] better [illegible] and get up [illegible] for [illegible] Gordon, [illegible] little comfort [illegible] may be [illegible] temp. [illegible]

Saturday, October 22

Bad night – woke up in sweat & had to change pyjamas & slept little after 4 o'C. Tel. office. Breakfast in bed & then down to drawing room & telephoned again. Tel. fr. G. Dunlop & [illegible] E. Knoblock fr Versailles. Alan came at one o'c and we worked till luncheon & a little after. He had luncheon w. G. & Tom & me, [illegible] To bed at 3-30 feeling feverish & ill. Tea in bed – G. tea wi Grahams. Finished Moon in

Dinner in bed. Ned & [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

scraps. [illegible] Temp under 99°

Sunday, October 23

[22nd S. after Trinity

Slept well after Cedibral & woke with difficulty. Breakfast 10.15 and down at 11 o'c. Others to see 35 Gt. Aus. Pl. & wrote to Helen Fraswell-Barker. Others back late. Nannie & Lilian had not been enthusiastic & G. disappointed. A friends seemed pleased. After lunch Geeste & H. to Concert. Affectionate today. I slept & got tea together & had written to H. & Vivi also Barrett. Talked & very dreary

Monday, October 24

Slept fairly well. up 8.30. Telephoned to Cagg 9.45 about B.C. jacket & about his bagged book. Miss Cook came up for dictation. Lunch alone in dining room. Rested 3 & 5. Tel. fr. SAT repeating telegram from Jimmie Cathcart. Effie had kidney trouble which is cured but operation for cancer on Wednesday. Tel. Dinner. Lockhart seems pleased with everything. Signed letters for Office. temp under 99°

Tuesday, October 25

Up late. Breakfast
down stairs. Telephoned
and worked on papers
from office. Then
went for walk
in Kensington Gardens.
Back to home and
dictated to Mr Cook.
Luncheon alone
downstairs. Nap in
drawing room.
Tea with G.: then
drew pictures in brush-
work background for
Guy Murray. Dinner G.
Evening talked & finished

Guy Murray. [illegible]

Wednesday, October 26

up early feeling better
but weak. Packed
two bags for moving
Got things for office
after breakfast.
Reached office 11.15
Arthur Rawson waiting
with better [illegible] about
passage about his wife
in Blue Rockland [illegible]
then Hardcastle [illegible] things
Ferguson & Delgado
in Jane Marchant
[illegible] Garth, and Dinner
also Pip. Office ahead
Good news [illegible]. Mais.

[illegible]

Thursday, October 27

Up early. Packed trunks while dressing. Breakfast 10 o'c. Raining hard. G. & E. off with Lord for new hats. Miss Clark came up & I dictated till luncheon alone at home. Then came to office. Tel. Barrett arriving Plymouth tonight w. Alice & Mary. Signed letters etc. Took Miller chaff – Sent box from Nattal home today. Bed & rested till dinner. G. & I. Evening packed.

Friday, October 28

Up early packed
saw Thurston people.
To 35 Great Cumberland
Place. Dr. lived 7.
Baggage in taxi.
1 D office. Dictated.
Talk members of
staff. All good
[illegible]. Lunch Gazette
Aft. Talk Cornwallis
West about N.Y.
Fishing Book. Talk
P.S.G. & S.O.S. Stop
Geography: [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] Walpole Review
Soon in taxi to 35 Great
Cumberland Place. [illegible]
[illegible] immense. Great Caesar to go
To bed before dinner. [illegible]

Saturday, October 29

very cold
Office late. Miss Carter
away. odd jobs.
Dictated Mr Aker Cook.
Home lunch G. & Jan.
to 31 & worked all
afternoon bringing back
medicine bottles etc.
in Taxi. Tea. Home
Eleanor came in
Discussed moving
things etc. Dinner
home. Evening
read Butlers book baby
& Alans [illegible]
– talked G. Very
comfortable evening.
all very [illegible];

Sunday, October 30

[23rd S. after Trinity.

Up late. Alan came about 11.30 & he & G, Nannie & I came to 31 H.P.G. Hung pictures in day & nursery etc. Back to 36 G.C.P. for luncheon & then A & I to 31 & cleaned library. Joined by G. & finished everything here save 3 & a step-chair in there. Then 36 & [illegible] taught back a story. E. came in after tea. After dinner Jw-Barnett & Motor licence

Monday, October 31

[illegible]

Up late. Office 11 o'c
Chas [illegible] Insurance
people fixed up
claim for stolen trunk
of Kathy clothes.
Tel. fr. Hans Davis
[illegible] about release
of British Agent. Tel.
Hazell, Anton, Bk. secy.
Finally Custer called.
Got things under way.
Talk with S.W. Lanier
Garrick. Sir John
Simson back. Settled
ar. Custer. Signed cheques
Tel. Bk. secy. arrang[illegible]
w. Barnett

Tuesday, November 1

[illegible]

Up earlier & typed copies 9.45. Tel Stanfield & found Book Society copies of Bruce Lockhart all delivered. Dictated Miss Cook interrupted by tel call & talks staff. Tel. Mrs Belloc Lowndes Lady Cynthia about Princess Ingrid. Lunch at [illegible] Simpson Garrick Signed letters etc. Call for Claude Fisher re Prince of Wales book. Talk Alan about Jane frankly at tea time. Talk Miller. Home late. G. at Graham's cocktail part

Wednesday, November 2

Up latish. Office 10.30
Dictated the Cart.
W. Barratt saw £20.
Lunch A&Z. Wrote
letter about our
failure to make more
money for him.
W. Mr Belloc Rounds
Signed letters etc.
Call from Lord Cardigan
and talk about
flying book. Tel.
Bruce Lockhart.
Talk Dalgardo adv.
Home nap in bed. Dine
Robert Henderson. Adelstrom
Olive Stanley, Eleanor

Home early & to bed late.

Thursday, November 3

Slept well but very tired difficulty in getting up. Seemed to have nervous irritation in chest. Office 10.15 felt cold all morning. W. Barrett. Dictated Miss C. Cole [illegible] young Dane [illegible]. 3 [illegible] [illegible]. Lunch Scotts. Call from Hester. Call from Sherard. Started letter to Zagallo F.O. Home early & to bed feeling ill. Slept or dozed for 2 hours. Dressed for dinner. Felt better. Worked

Friday, November 4

Felt better. Up later

Office @ 10.30. Complaint

Bruce Lockhart not in

bk. sellers windows.

Dictated to Foreign Office

Gazette. Talk Carter. Talk

Lester. Lunch Garrick w.

John Hy. [illegible] & talked

about his plans to start

publishing abroad.

Call fr. Terence Greenidge

w. Barrett [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] tea Miss Mayne &

[illegible] her Gregory No.

Jane has got a cancer.

[illegible] blew in. Dined [illegible]

[illegible]. Think I can set back

Saturday, November 5

up earlier. Typed till 9.45. Dictated Mrs C. Tel. fr Lord Dunsany. Mrs Cook still coughing told her she would have galloping consumption — She! Order fr. Ransom out from Lockhart by tel. Home to luncheon. Afternoon walk: north to St Johns Wood Road and back. Tea home. and out fr. Ehrmans. At luncheon and after G. told me of consulting Mr Nuent

and going for treatment today to Nurse Cashman she stood it like a brick. Russians rather disappointing here. Cubists. Afterwards finished letter to Catharine. Began Lafayes. Idea of Jane

[illegible] 5

[24th S. after Trinity]

Up late. G. wrote her play. Jane & I walked to Westminster Abbey & North Street & home by bus. Lunch home. Afternoon nap. Tea and played games with Nannie & Jane until G. finished her play. Exhausted & exalted. She told me wh. I knew, that it was the play I did not want her to write. Talked till dinner & then again after. [illegible] very good. Later I read Hilaire Belloc's charming book The Four

Monday, November 7

FOX HUNTING BEGINS

Up earlier & Office 9.45. Spent morning dictating & telephoning about 8 new edition of Lockhart. Called at bank & changed most of Am. money at 3.31 $\frac{5}{8}$. Lunch Ath. then to Walpole & tried on new suit. Back to office and w. Dr Staples. Talk Ragg about popular novels. Walked most of the way home. J. has seen Nora Nasmith again and asked her to

that me [illegible] ! resented. Slight- seen. Afti. dinner w. Buck[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Tuesday, November 8

Slept longer – better. Jan came in with her hair plaited instead of the fluffy curls of an day & yesterday [illegible]. I was ½ hr walking. Office 9. Dictated Mr. C. W. Tack. Frederick about ventilation in basement. Call from Guy Edwards. Call from Sir J. Marchant. Prep. photographs to be enlarged. Lunch Ad. Talk Mark Barr, Dr Abraham Paul Nash water colour. Dictated Mr C. Call fr. Adv. manager fr. B. Park.

about – book jacket. Talk Muir
best seller

Wednesday, November 9

[LORD MAYOR'S DAY.

Up early. Breakfast alone & office 9.25 Alan out to bookstalls. Dictated. Call Medley about Reilly Rebel. Talk Carter, Rigg et al. Lunch Alt. Talk Dis & Tromp about Whitehall series, Breads & Garlic Tel. Lockhart, Tel. Medley Call from Charles Duff. Call from Miss Vivien Reilly With Alan to Dame Una's lect. to R.S.L. She was ill & didn't come & her son John read the lecture. Ethel Smith Florence street & Pope Hennessy

& Birch were there & a crowd of the lunatic fringe. [illegible]

Thursday, November 10

Up earlyish & Office 9.45. Dictated most of morning. Mr Ferguson back from Scotland looking better. Lunch re: Alan Foyles Lit. Lunch Grosvenor House Oswald Mosley. James Douglas. Mrs Belloc Lowndes. Couldn't hear the two last. Signed letters. Talk telephone Medley & Bruce Lockhart walked home. feeling a bit cold. Dinner G. told her about Plato & Plutarch.

Friday, November 11

[ARMISTICE DAY.

up lately but
office 4.50 Don't feel
so well. Must have
vacation probably need
a rest; Dictated. Talk
Delgado. Ray S.H.
went to 'Mucklow's
taking in the great
builders. [illegible] Barrett
£10. from his account.
Exchanged Bruce Lockhart
cheque $4,600. at 3.29 $\frac{7}{16}$
Lunch Garrick Baldwin
Raymond; Talk putting group
Dictated: Call for Mayors
[illegible] Annes. Called Brumpe
saw Joyce "Poems".

Saturday, November 12

Bed 1.30. Slept late. Office 11 a.m. [illegible] Called [illegible] for Tam & Sluff. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Dictated. Talk with SAT. Dictated. Home Luncheon practice [illegible]. Tam & G. Afternoon to [illegible] Knightsbr[illegible] [illegible] work Exhibition. [illegible] [illegible] & Team & we found silver Ships. Home Tea. Alfreda had Pinkie [illegible] of the Nannie out; Pinkie looks much more grown up.

[25th S. after Trinity.

Long night, up late but felt ill perhaps it is East-wind. Tried to get Jane to come to Zoo but she was evidently too frightened. So I went alone to make a sketch of a Rhinoceros as she asked me to do. Luncheon home. Afternoon painted Rhinoceros coming out well. After tea Got played [illegible] with Sam I won. Dinner home. Read [illegible] book on Titans of Art.

Monday, November 14

Cold dark & wet
up late; Tam had
a little cold & not
going to school. G. down
to breakfast w. me.
Gugel coming to dinner &
G. snorted at the idea of
asking Alan. Office 10h30
Dictated Miss Cook. Talk
Ray about Lascaris & their
Lindholm. Edmund Garrick
Elvins has had colostomy
for malignant tumour
Dictated Miss Cook. Talk 2.31
w. Barrett. Home tax; will put
fees to Garrick. Gugel Burns
family dinner.

Tam stayed at
home with Cold

Tuesday, November 15

Up early. Brighter day
Office 9.30 Dictated Miss
B. Talk Tel. Murphy about
Klement. To Meyerlowitz +
Harbison + lunch
Antoinette. Others away
+ Gerry ill. did not turn
up. Only A. Horatia in the
Launch + 1. O. to Walker
to try on suit. Office
tea. Called Hastings of
National Trust. Signed
letters. Home preparations
for Sunday. Nicholas up there.
Frank G. Charters + dinner
Alfred 'Bat': Biddy + talk

Wednesday, November 16

Bed about 1 o'c. very tired in morning. Office 10.20. Talk R. Att about advt. in R. Times. Call fr. Dr Murphy and later Mo Kelland & talk about Brazil book on Fawcett. Call fr. Eric Sutton & lunch at Garrick. Call Williamson who is pleased w. Takka. Talk S.H.T. & Delgado R. Times. Dictated. N.C.A.D.R. Dr 4 - meet G. at Tingles. Talk Hutton about Alfred. Home Dinner 9. Read Aristotle

Parted from George

Thursday, November 17

up early finished packing Office in taxi Pinkschirft after staying out 3 days (with cold) Dictated. Call from Murphy and Klunt Bell. Fawcett Book but urged Murphy to get Garfarty's endorsement Dictated. Lunch Garrick Tommie Beck, Frank Howes Alan + 1 to Hockey Edge. Iris met us at Staplehurst. Tea + started in looking at Cecil's long drawings. Dinner + looked at Alexis' type

– sleep – early after geo O'C.

Friday, November 18

Hacker Lodge. Up early breakfast 9 o'C. Then walked round garden with Mrs. / discussed agreement with Charles. Ai took us to Tonbridge. Fast train to London reaching office before 12 o'C. Spent – £10. to Barnes Tel G. who went to Play last night w. Gladys – Edward meeting Clare & Tom Beck. G. hated play "Service" Lunch Garrick, Pipe & Bloomfield there. Dictated Call for Brockhurst his contents in his will. Home

of Elizabeth Wellesley Fanny [illegible] a [illegible] G. feeling [illegible] Molly [illegible] the [illegible] To [illegible] her all talked but G. & M. [illegible] agreed [illegible] 10 am [illegible]

Saturday, November 19

Up latish. G. stays in bed feeling very low. Office 10 o'c. Met Will Howard in train. Workmen mending Carpet in my office. Opened letters & Marked papers. Cash from Clemens & Murphy Cashed Cheque for £30. Went into Café for lunch. After luncheon to Brixton & saw Fitch very weak but evidently greatly ill. Home tea, Eleanor showed my new suit. Dinner [illegible]. worked in study.

[26th S. after Trinity.

Kept awake by creaking boards. Felt ill. Up late. With Jan to St Pauls. Talked to Lord Mayor's Bagpiper in lunch time. After luncheon G. to church. I worked on [illegible] Calvary background. Jan came back & watched the Edwards & Jennifer to tea in nursery & Bessie. Helen Spinola upstairs & later Mildred who stayed to supper & bezique. I worked stock etc.

Monday, November 21

Lost Key
Met Carl Goldschmidt in Tube
spoke of Germany
Slept 1 hour but -
late. Office 10.20
Mr Chadwick &
Mr Pascall called
about Rotary work
Dictated a bit.
Home dressed. Lanes
Hamiltons G., Mildred
Mr Fleming, Macaulay,
Mr Spears et al. et al.
Gerry Villiers Roger Reeves
Smith. Ready together. Home
w. G. & changed. Office
talked over Hands Phabs arj.
Off. Tel. Bank H. - walked
[illegible]. Dinner Bertie Alfred
[illegible]

Tuesday, November 22

Slept well & did not
mind creaking & cracking
but tired in the morning
& up late. Rainy day.
Office 10 o'c. Mrs Cook
busy going to hospital
about poison - from wasp
stings last summer.
Talk S.A.T. & A.D. about
advertising. Lunch Garrick
saw & talked to Jones, Alfred
& Davis. W. noted
from Struck. Called Barrett
& Mr Sanders Co. Home
tired. Barrett Alice & Mary
to dinner. Alice depressed Mary
pretty but B. rather [illegible]

Wednesday, November 23

Up earlier & office 9.40
Dictated. Talk Ragg
about truck rental.
V. Kruger returning
Bilbao. Asked Delgado to
play Friday night
kept note for Barrett
about Paflace. Called
Nat. City Bank. Lunch
Ath. Called I.T.R.,
underground lost property
My keys not found!
Office dictated. Calls from
Barrett, Murphy and
Mr MacElegott. Last minute
ado. Ragg & Delgado. Signed
letters till 7 o'c.

walk to Times Square. Bus home. Dinner. Shave. Read Muriel. New Yorker. Bed 1/10 Cat.

Thursday, November 24

· tel. my keys found in carriage basket
Can't seem to get up
early. This feeling pretty tired.
Office 10.10. Dictated
[illegible]. Call fr. Mr Bush
gave her proof of Murder
New Soul for wrapper.
Call fr. Dr Murphy
about — Ganzerly & talk
w. Dr T about the place
back to Holborn. Lunch
& ran to Frasers watch all
gains 1 sec. per day.
Dictated etc. worked
[illegible] on Death Penalty copy
Home Tube. G. told me of seeing
Mrs Stafford Northcote (heard)

Friday, November 25

Up early. Office 9.30
Ado. w. Delgado.
Dictated. Call fr. Barrett
Dictated. Call from
Lord Carrigan relates
regrets as to do his
air book after all.
Luncheon Athenaeum
dictated letter to Murphy
about Tagart. Call
from Mrs Donner book
brother of Biff.
Hair cut. Home dine
Barrett, Alice, Mary, Alan
G. & I. and on to Mayfair
play "For Services Rendered"

Supper to Regent Palace Hotel

Saturday, November 26

Awake for 4.30 hrs.
Anxious dreams.
Office 9.30. Talk
Ragg & S.A.T. Motoring
book. Talk Delgado
adv. etc. Mr S.A.T. appears
Lord Cardigan book a
flying. Home luncheon
Bumpus. Alice & Mac
and took Alice & Mac
to walk in Westminster.
Home for tea with
them. Dinner home G.
After dinner read / read
novel recommended by
Ragg, but not good enough.
Started sleeping in G's room.

Sunday, November 27

[Advent S.]

Mrs Cabot and
G. Alpenda and I
W. Hammersmith to
see Mr Whall's window
to Aunt Edith. Very
good but advised only
set more of a portrait]
from Luckhurst. Bessie
Alice and Mary and
Ethel Dyer who is
studying to be an actress.
(she is Randolph Dyer's sister)
I left them all at home
and went to Kings Coll Hospital
to see Ellie but arrived too
late. Saw Mrs Filder. Home to

G. walked on with R. to talk about Catherine. Others left after tea during [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] g. Dorothy came for us to go to Ethel's birthday musical party.

Monday, November 28

Started cold sponges again. Office 10 o'c. Dictated w. Jane MacG + John Hyslop. Call fr. Barrett. Call from Richard Aldrich + took him to Garrick where he is a temp. member. Lunch w. him + talked shows + Lloyd Osbournes. Dictated Talked w. Ragg about motoring book. Long talk Harkness about Cedars drawings. Home late. Found that Seb had expected me to dinner tonight instead of Wednesday. Dressed himself

+ got her to [illegible]. Lady [illegible] Fitzroy
Duchess [illegible]
Frankenstein, Skelton, 'Bryce
[illegible]

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Tuesday, November 29

up earlier. moved
some of my things
Office 10 a.c. Talk
Mr. Ragg about books.
Delgado about Magers Will
Dictated. Call fr.
Barrett & Lambert Att.
Got money & foreign drafts to
Fortune & Mason pay taxes for
for him. Call fr. Wagner
Fran re Nortly's payment
Tel. fr. Bruce Rockhart
Talk Ragg about
Quesyan et al. Read
Murphy's articles. Called Felix
in Kings Cnty Hospital, wr. jelly &
flowers. Saw his wife after. Dinner
Supper 9 o'c. Alice Barrett there

after going & dinner. Room Expen

Wednesday, November 30

[ST. ANDREW'S DAY

Eleanora came to Mr. Oshey.

Dressed for first time in G's sitt. room. Eleanora came to day. Office 10 a. Long talk abt. S.A.T. and Mr. Delgado. Cable from Grey Edwards. Gave him 10/- Lunch Ivy, Alice, Mary & Alan. Dictated Arthur Cooke who makes mistakes in every letter. Talk abt. Delgado & S.A.T. Sent out programmes of Fiery Wagner concert. Talk Alan abt. Came home late. Dinner G. & on w. Eleanora to Mellon's party American Embassy

Carnegie's. Christmas at [illegible] long sitting

Thursday, December 1

Up early. Office 9.30
Dictated. Thick add.
Delgado & S.P.T. Call from
Barrett & Alice and
said their thanks from
Nattali & Maurice. Dictated
letter to Balch. 10
Victoria & said goodbye
to Barrett Alice & Mary
off for Paris & Montreux.
Walked back to Ath. lunch.
Looked up books for N.Y.
& give stuff wonderful.
Walked home through parks.
Stopped in Athenaeum as G.
still playing bridge in drawing room
Early dinner & on to Fanny

([illegible] Armistice - good)

Friday, December 2

Up early but slowed dressing. Office 9:45. Dictated & talked etc. accomplishing little all morning. Mr Cook said many of my correspondence and Mr Baker Clarke can't help much. Mrs Delgado said couldn't get ads. into Xmas issue & was No. full up. Told her to go on trying & he put it through. Lunch Garrick. Miss Brady brought in wrapper for new Merest book. Call for Franz Wagner. Walked home in rain. Dinner Alfred Cilien Marguerite, Jeanette, Esther & Hans Lengyels, Jerry, Zete & Jenny, Bernstorf, Leigh Hatcher [illegible] Peaty

Saturday, December 3

Up early. Office 9.30
Talk Ragg. Dictated
mem C. Talk Harkin
[illegible] Mrs dictation
Rainy day clearing
Talk Frederick about
basement fire. Talk
Clifford, re families. Talk
Abe. Bank token adv.
Walk to Hyde Park Came
Bus home. Lunch 9.0 [illegible]
Out for walk 3.15 and
discovered St John's Wood
High Street. Tea home Helen &
Margaret. L. told us how King
& Queen & Sister Agnes came to
see others collection last [illegible]

[illegible] account by Helen, [illegible] Music out [illegible]
Margaret
Davies
home
Bus
Rummy
play
or
Chequers
needed
C. [illegible]
succeed

Sunday, December 4

Proposed to G. 17 years ago

[2nd S. in Advent.

Bed late and
up late. Spent morning
hanging pictures for G.
with & Alfredal as
matin lodger's mat.
Luncheon home. Talk
wi. G. about her play.
walk St John's Wood
scovered Marylebone
Alms Houses & St John's
Wood Park. Tea home.
Hung picture in G's
room. Dinner home.
After dinner read
Vera Barclay sequel to
Guy Merlyn. not good.

Discussed Commons Election w G.

Monday, December 5

Up early. Talk G. about luncheon. Can't give about these things. Office 9.4
Opened letters checked bank accounts N.C.B. Talk Ragg
D.H.T. Seemed to accomplish little. Dictated perhaps on letters. Home luncheon Bruce Lockhart Lloyd Osborne
Mildred went well. To Blake bone-setter who said I had a golf elbow and clicked it into place. Office dictated. To Daily
Weekly meeting in House of Commons meeting G. Office. Canyon Address. Home dressed. Took Eleanor to Mrs. Rutherford

and Tom at Athenaeum dinner.

[illegible]

Tuesday, December 6

Up late dressed quickly
Care for Marylebone dictated
Office. Did odd jobs
all morning very hard.
Walked to Holborn lunch
called Good. & saw Maclachlan
clerk. Office dictated
discussed ads. w.
M. & H.T. & Delgado
Miss Bailey called about
New Sound wrapper.
Unbearably tired.
Soon rested in little room
then G. & I to L. of N. Union
dinner to hear Lytton who
spoke on the Manchukuo question
also Lord Cecil spoke

to Western States, Duff [illegible] humanitar[illegible]

[illegible] shattered by [illegible] at our tables

hard
Simmonton;
Jack is
Bros +
Mr Mr
Mr Dugdale.
Mr D. [illegible]
[illegible]
and
made
a
disturbance
'Talked
over
question

Wednesday, December 7

Very cold day. Office
10 o'c. leaving new coat at
Watsons. Dictated. Long
call from Mrs Fitch.
Dictated Mr C. Lionel
Robertson. Kennedy's, Hudson
~~He~~ Brothers, G. Flowers
to Watson, tried on coat.
Call from Miss Scott about
Mr O'Connor. Call from
Police Inspector Webster
talked words from O.
Long call fr. J. Murphy
back from Paris.
Gave him cheque £250.
Home with fr. ~~[illegible]~~ Tottenham
Ct. Rd.
Helen Spencer to dinner

Thursday, December 8

Up early Office 9:30
Dictated all the
long talk Mr. Harkness
Told him I would gladly
give up N. & M. tomorrow
if he would like to have
Pres. he does not want to
do. Dictated Miss C.
Lunch Garrick Schuyler
Powell & Hla[illegible], Garrick
Dictated Miss C. Talk
Delgado re Commission [illegible]
circular. Long letter to
Arthur Crooks for Bishop [illegible]
Long Talk Miller re budget
& N. & M. Home late.
Go out to dinner w. Mr. Mc[illegible]

Dined after [illegible] Barclays "Ben[illegible]"
[illegible]

Friday, December 9

M. Fitch's daughter's young man came this morning to tell us Fitch died last night.

Sir James Marchant called about Ireland

To bed early last night but tired this morning & up late. Office 10 a.m. talk, dictation, etc. Call from Sir George Clark to beg me to help Bruce Lockhart to sue more Detailed. Lunch Garrick Towne, Pinero, Lloyd Osborne et al all praising Bruce Lockhart. To Gerrard's - bought onyx clock for G's birthday. Office. dictated order for Lloyd Davies w. Vera Barclay re "Bay Storm" tales. G. had tooth out this P.M. & felt ill. Dinner & early

G. & Eleanor

Saturday, December 10

Buckingham
Strauss:
Hopkins
Hudson
Read
Rice
Frank
Teasdale
Cass

Too cold to sleep. Bad night. Office 10.30 talk Alan / Lr. all. Dictated letter to Greenbaum. Long talk Burleson who is to take Fitch's place at counter. Telegram to Brunwalt re Prof. Freeman. Telegram to MacGibbon. Alan Strong home in taxi with bundle of work. Lunch home, G., Jane. Talk G. about E. Walk to Cook's at St. G. Gdn about trees. Then walk round Maughan Road by Linden Rd. G + I tea home + cocktail

Sunday, December 11

[3rd S. in Advent]

Slept late. Worked
A.M. pretty water
with Rhino picture
not very successful
Jan & Naomi reading
Guy Murrays sequel.
G. much better. Cold
Lunch home. Walked
St Jules Wood meeting
Alan & Frank Delgado
in Lemon grove.
Tea home. Read papers
Dinner home G. Read
papers and looked
at books on Jess
rack. Naomi chose birthday
party.

Monday, December 12

Up late — office a bit after 9.30. Dictated to Miss C all morning. Tel. Mrs Bayor about her name "Tomorrow or Tomorrow". Luncheon Garrick Lyn Harding. Ordered flowers for Fitch's funeral, tickets for Johnson. Signed letters etc. Henry came from Bruce Lockhart who brought signed agreement for next book. Home by ~~[illegible]~~ way, 13 Wigmore St. Dining. — Read Mrs. [illegible]

Tuesday, December 13

Office rather late.
Mrs Cook off to Fitch's
funeral. Tel Mrs Mayor
Miss Heath, Alfreda
about birthday luncheon.
Tuck Alan extra expenses
Tel. John Haines.
Home birthday luncheon
G. Alfreda & Eleanora
My malachite clock
a great success.
Back to office.
Call fr Mrs de Zoete
Call fr Blackadder.
Home Call fr. John Haines
wife & son. Dennis came
to Edith Evans in Evening

[illegible]

Wednesday, December 14

Lovely day mild & sunny. Office 10.10 Dictated for Alan C. including letter to Minter about London status. Call fr. Rodker. Lunch Garrick Gardner talk about F.O. vol. Dictated. Talk Guy Tobias on by telephone Dictated; signed letters etc. w. Alan to First Ed. Club Xmas party. MacDonald gets his bauble, Roger by fine, Wheatfield of Chiswick Press A.S.A. Symonds. Our bookcase greatly admired Dinner Curtis Gazette. Alan lecture [illegible] on Arts; storm 'Helen Spencer'

Bp of Exeter Italy. — J. Smedley

Thursday, December 15

Up early. Goodbye to [illegible]. Office 9.30 Left [illegible] at Micklems. Dictated with usual interruptions. Call from Mr. T. T. A. Lloyd about [illegible]. Call fr. Rhys Davies & took him out for luncheon at Garrick. We discussed his work Short Stories, Poems & book & novel of a [illegible] rather over 3 generations. Office stopping in shops. [illegible] ~~Ad~~ Alan & S. A. T. Potterid late. Owen A. Times article. Home with Pierre Beckett to dinner

[illegible] & [illegible] out to Cinema [illegible] Took B. [illegible] in [illegible] and [illegible] back [illegible] his [illegible]

Friday, December 16

[illegible]

Office about ten o'clock
Dreiland. Talk Delgado
about ads. Sunday
papers. Talk Ragg
of S.A.I. Yeats's story.
Talk Perkins office by tel
about Raymond Otis'
novel. Talk Ragg
about Aleister Crowley
Ernest Holborn, got
my writer Dennis in
and jack down and
signed letters. Talk tel
Ivor Montagu ads in
Russian Paper. Hair cut
Home rested. G. out to dinner
& Sunday. Irene Rabelais

Saturday, December 17

Twining
Paul
Cutham
Charles
Cox

Up rather late. Dictated a bit etc. Then shattering visit from Mr Stopper who is editing & typing Freeman's reminiscences. He seems to be violently insane. Shakespeare Bacon etc. Poor old Freeman. Home dressed. Lunch. Mildred, G. Eileen & Margaret. G. upset because I talked about Jews. Home changed & walked Regents Park inner circle. Home tea. Unscrewed plat. from fr. clock & had to put it back. Dinner home.

Evening w. Christmas snap-shot p.c.!

Sunday, December 18

[4th S. in Advent.

up late. Then about
1/2 Afreda and I
went for long walk.
Campden Hill buying
pears and sweets to
Cecily Mann on the way.
Lunch 2 o'c. Then
G & I rested till tea.
Afterwards I went to
Cocktail party Sybil,
Clemmie Waring, Gilbert
Miller, Mrs Bonner,
Herbert Marshall, Edna
Best. Clemmie motored me
home. Dinner G. Read
Mrs Belloc Lowndes
Duchess Laura book.

Monday, December 19

waken up by my hungry wagon at 8 o'c. Must go back to my dressing room. Office 10.30. Mr Grubb Ghent received telephone message his wife has broken her ankle. Dictated Mr Cook. Call Gorth's about clock. Lunch 1st Avenue Hotel Rubinstein + Louis Golding Simon ~~named~~ Rauhinson joined us. call for Mr Bauer Back to office. Called Ralph Pike re Raymond Otis - Not sympathetic. Called

[illegible]

Thomas to meet Bernard Baruch [illegible]

[illegible]

Tuesday, December 20

up early after somewhat restful night. Office 9.30. Miss Curtis has a bad cold so I have not dictated to her with the result that I have got little done. Call from Hartley, Call from Murphy re: good news fr. Gayety. Call fr: Charles Gately. Lunch Garrick Taylor & Taylor. Signed letters Call Guy Johnson. W. Smith: Bier Obs: Robertson - Shumer & co to take Van Druten's "Behold we Live"

Wednesday, December 21

Office 9.30. Noticed
Alfreda looked pale
when she came to say
good morning. Kept
away from Mrs Cook.
Long Dane fr. Alaska
Crowley left went-
lunch his stuff i
Lunch Samuel and
looked about in shops
for present to Olivia.
Dictated to Mrs Cook
through door. W.C.A.D.P
& walked home. Alfreda
had been to school pretty
very pale. Dinner home

up when Alfreda asleep. looked
checked

Thursday, December 22

Alfreda temp 102 from
influenza tho. Dr.
Chapman. Office 9.45
W. letter Hay [illegible].
Heard Dr Nowak dead.
Lunch with Robin &
Marguerite Rogue
Pickwalls, Smith, Stella
Bulitto, Dorothy &
Harry. Back to office
Mr Des Barres called
Nattali & Maurice. Order
Browning to Rupert
Hart. for Lionel.
Call fr. Farquharson say Goyaz
[illegible] - affairs Murphy [illegible]
back! Call Dr. Peck re

Bedleaps chest x: Ibert C.

Ibert his fur present – for D.
no luck. Ann drinks A. &
Nannie letter. After dinner
G. & I bezique, Call by W.S. fr

Friday, December 23

Up early. Office 9-30. Answered notes & w. [illegible] Christmas card in my own hand. Miss Cooke's cold too bad for dictation. Tel. Bishop Knox, Cass Jr., John Aerons, Laufer, Garrick, Lutyens. To shops about ten for Alvarez's present and found two old silver salt cellars. Also bag for Alfreda. W. Waldo as Champagne & mince-pie in Mr Millin's room, A.S.T., Carter, Mr Platt, Miss Mead. Out-

bought elephant ~~[illegible]~~ for Joan from Tiffs. Got up in Clair. Lucy walked to S. Martin's + Dean Park's. Church w. 9. [illegible] midnight Cecil [illegible]. Dennis [illegible]. Aglio Dennis [illegible]

Saturday, December 24

Up early and to office as usual but got out at Tottenham Court road & looked about for another elephant for Zoe but antique shops closed. Discovered Stacey street by St Giles. Office w. Cousin Georgie. Got "[illegible] Lukes Crimson" for Alfreda G.K. to give to Miss Gillis. Mr Miller Mr Trengrouse & Mrs Platt. Then left present from Alfreda to Zoe in bed for vaccination. Got Xmas tree. Draft for [illegible]. Home in taxi. Lunch home. Out to get nails etc. Set up Xmas tree. Mildred playing Bezique w. G. w. Patrick

Mildred, Patrick & John to Hamilton w. [illegible] & to [illegible] Robert Marchant. Mr. Brown w. us for tea & dinner.

Cooking on & partly helping me w. tree.

Sunday, December 25

[QUARTER DAY. CHRISTMAS DAY.

Cold foggy day. Up latish. Jane better but in bed. Presents for her all thro' day. G & I to church St Mary's Bryanston Square. After lunch got trimmed tree. She went to rest & I finished putting on ornaments then she put in candles. Jane came down in dressing gown & servants in for tree. Apple-wood bowl fr others, maps umbrella & salt-glaze platter fr G. I gave G. Table bowl, & Jane pigskin dispatch case. Dinner Mildred, all her children & Carter cousins, Frank Stanleys, Wellingtons, Francis Adams, Ray

Strettons presents for all including their copies: [illegible] Bridge & Ardele Agnt [illegible] & Canasta [illegible]

Monday, December 26

[BANK HOLIDAY.

Up late. foggy day. Up to see Jane & made chemical experiments wi. her chemistry set. Mrs Mayor to luncheon and talked of her writing of G's. Out for walk to Swiss Cottage. Back for tea & rested but couldn't sleep. Up to see Jane, she had more fever from coming down to Christmas tea but better tonight. G & I dined alone and after dinner did a letter & I w. diary - then played four games of bezique and I won three of them so ahead in many bezique

Tuesday, December 27

Up late, breakfast 10.40
Hung Pompeian picture in
passage. G. & I talked about
Mrs Nazianzi. At 12.15
I went out to walk arrangi
for late cold luncheon.
Walked Avenue Road to
Hampstead & back by Haverst
Hill. Lunch 2.45. G. A. &
Nannie resting. Out to Wallac
Collection & S. Kensington about
Swiss salt cellars. Saw Bernard
Rackham, may be before letter n
adopted in 1753. Home tea &
up to see Alfreda. W. Olivers
& Walters. Dinner G. Read Verg

boat about his to Egyptian amulets
& Mrs.
not
seen
G.

Wednesday, December 28

Up early felt better. Pleasanter day with a little sun. Miss Cook still away ill. Mr Raff not back. 10. Barrett. Dictated Abbe Cooke. Call fr. Alice Murat. Lunch Lord Esmé & Mrs Scarlett? very pleasant. Back to office 3.45. More dictation Mr Barrett away at his brother in laws funeral. Talk ano. ASt & Alan Walked home. Read papers. Up to see Tam & talked about Guy Neuergue & sequel. Nannie has been [illegible] really good [illegible] most- perfect [illegible] [illegible] Barnes

Thursday, December 29

Up early. Office 9.15. Letter fr. Mrs. Ragg. Mr Ragg ill in Wales. Dictated Mr Arber. Cooke. Call fr. Edward Heald and long talk here. Then lunch with him and his brother at Garrick. Earlier in morning call fr. Bishop Campbell. Father with a beard. Tel. Bruce Lockhart. Signed letters: W. Maley. Hopkins re Spitteler. Talk DPT about business

Home late. Also to dinner in [illegible]

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Friday, December 30

Milan: Patrick Camille & Marie Tancred Allegro dinner 1. [illegible] baggage in Automobile others baggage till late

Up early; to an Alfredo etc. to office only 9.40. Mr Grubb arrived about 12.30 much better. Talk Sat et al. Tel. Reago. Dictated Aber Conte. Call fr Freeman & Bronte 1.0 Lunch. Started home 3.15. Packed and sent off luggage by hotel 4.15. Beer & sandwiches & then tea. Goodbye to Alfredo & G. & I off to Wellington waited at Wellington for Jerry Valerian & Elizabeth who

Saturday, December 31

Weather fine. Others were shooting. I read Serge's Green book till 12. Then got for long walk. After luncheon talked and then long nap. Prince Geo. & Valerie back for tea. Lionel left before luncheon to stay at Port Eliot. We all talked till dinner. After dinner same as last night. Geo. G., Mildred & Patrick bridge. Antoinette & I Bezique. I lost.

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Calendar for 1933.

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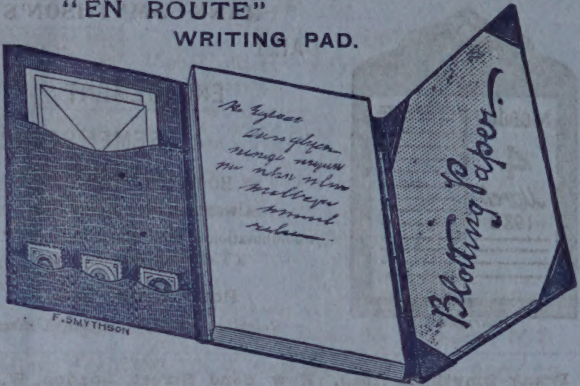

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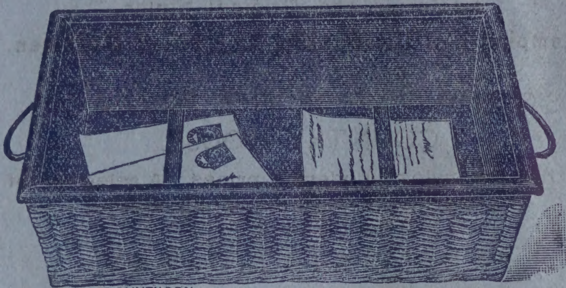

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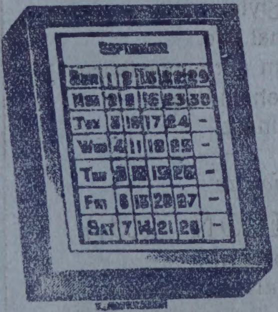
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